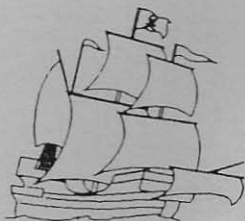


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This month's volume of input broke all records and SW Liberation appears to be the reason. A considerable amount of editing was required to get everyone's reports to fit our limited space. Looks like 7385 has become the frequency of choice for many stations.

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We welcome a new contributor this month -- James Young of Springfield VA.

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- NORTH AMERICA --SHORT WAVE -

AMIGA COMPUTER GENERATED RADIO: 7385U, 6/17, no times given, SIO=333. Some mx, voice ID. (HALL,NY) 7385U, 6/18, 0135-0205, SIO=555. Electronic mx, IDs by OM in robotic vx. Mx like a computer game. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385.4U, 6/18, 0133-0211, SIO=223-444. MN addr. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 6/18, *0133-0210*, SIO=242. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385.5U, 6/18, 0133-0211*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/18, 0150-0210, SIO=232/333. (SUTER,VA)

ANARCHY ONE: 7385vU, 7/10, *0304-0328*, SIO=353. Punk mx sets, OM annncr w/IDs, comment by Jello Biafra on police raid. Vista CA drop. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7384.7U, 7/10, SIO=343. PSE QSL (KEENEY,KS) 7385U, 7/10, 0304, SIO=232. PSE QSL (STACEY,AL) 7384.7U, 7/10, 0310-0328*, SIO=131. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7384.6U, 7/10, 0315-0328, SIO=232. (RAUSCH,NJ)

BIG BROTHER RADIO: 7484U, 6/24, 0450-0501*, SIO=242. OM annncr, mx w/ awful vocals, Welsh addr, sounds of door knock, gave addr F or something w/ zip 10009. Said, "I'm outta here" at s/off. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385L, 7/3, *0518-0536* (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/3, 0515. Punk rock mx & tlk abt Mexico.(SILVIA,MA)

BLACK LIBERATION RADIO: 7385, 0009, 6/28, S9, SIO=555. (FOLK,KY) 7384.9U, 6/28, *0003-0027, SIO=444. YL w/ tlk abt R Weaver case, Waco TX incident, gun/drug laws. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/28, *0002-0013+, SIO=353+/141. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/28, 0002-0027, SIO=232. (GROTE,MO)

BOB YUNAS (sp?) PIRATE RADIO PROGRAM: 7384U, 6/22, SIO=555. Depressed-sounding OM tlling of bdcsting on MW, no addr. (CRUZAN,MO) 7384.3U, no date given, 0403-0406*, SIO=454. Funny ads, greetings to listeners in PN, TN, ID CA. Bdcsting on 600khz AM/FM. How to join F--- W/ Somebody's Head Club. PSE QSL. (TRUMMEL,MO)

CSIC: 7375.3, 6/18, 1915-2002*, weak. Mx & anmts by OM. CL rptd Tangerine R @ s/on. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385, 7/2, 0040. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/2, 0057-0102*, SIO=222. (SUTER,VA)

DC RADIO: 7390CW, 6/26, 0055-0058*, SIO=343+. CW loop, "DC R, don't vote Republican, Ollie North, Reagan's drug king". No addr. (ZELLER,OH)

ERO RADIO: 7385.1U, 7/10, 1909-1921*, SIO=1/242. OM w/ ID played "R Silence" into Cont of Media pgm fm K-2000. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI)

FREEDOM 40: 7385U, 7/16, *2302-2338*, SIO=343. Nemesis w/ one-shot stn to celebrate SW Lib. Will QSL repts which incl copies of QSLs for bdcsts between 6/16 & 7/16. Stoneham drop. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/16, *2300-2337*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/17, *0401-0438*, SIO=555. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/17, *0401-0438*, SIO=243. (KEENEY,KS)

FREE RADIO SIGNAL CORPS: 7385.5R, 6/28, 0203-0210. RTTY sig. Into CW at 0212, possibly diff stn. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7385RTTY/CW, 6/28, 0202-0213. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7387.6RTTY 650/45, 6/28, *0203-0208*, SIO=343+. (ZELLER,OH) 7386.5CW/RTTY, 6/28, 0030, SIO=252. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO)

HIT PARADE RADIO: 7385U, 6/19, 0203-0235, SIO=333. Beach Boys w/ mx & band info. Dale Dorman said will do an all request show soon. Someone testing on same fcy 2117-2128 6/18 w/ Beach Boys mx, might've been them too. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/19, 0215-0230*, SIO=353. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, 0210-0240, SIO=211. (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 6/19, 0205-0230, SIO=555. (KEENEY,KS) 7385U, 6/19, 0200-0234*, SIO=343. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, 0221-0234*, SIO=555. (TRUMMEL,MO)

KMOM: 7385U, 7/10, 0116-140*, SIO=211 (local storms). YL annr Samantha Jones w/ OM singing, tlk abt WGNV (?), mx, "Here Comes Peter Cottontail". Male reading romantic verses to E Bloomfield over mx. Ded "Hey Joe" song to Marley of Vo Smoke. 452 drop. (SCHMEHL,PA) 7385U, 7/10, 0100-0140, SIO=211. (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 7/10, 0121-0140*, S9. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7384.9U, 7/10, 0104-0139*, SIO=2/332. "It's not the size of your antenna, it's how you use it". (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7384.8U, 7/10, 0107-0140*, SIO=312. (COATSWORTH IN BELFAST,NY) 7385.03, 7/10, *0137*, S5. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 7/10, 0102-0140. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/10, *0101-0140*, SIO=322. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7384.8U, 7/10, 0100-0139, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 7/10, 0101+, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7384.95U, 7/10, 0104-0120, SIO=242. (KEENEY,KS)

K-2000: 7385U, 6/27, *0126-0132, SIO=222. Hrd ID. MA drop, Cont of Media pgm. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385, 0141, 6/28, S7, 444, WOR parody. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 6/28, 0139-0150*, SIO=333. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/28, 0140-0150. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/28, 0139, SIO=252. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/28, 0139-0150+, SIO=422. (SUTER,VA)

LASER HOT HITS: 7415, 7/11, 0136-0142. Soft rock, OM annr w/ Brit accent, more mx & f/out. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7415, 7/11, 0110-0125. Merlin drop. (STEPHENS,AL) 7415, 7/11, 0115-0141*, SIO=222. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7415, 7/11, 0125-0141, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA) (KEENEY,KS)

MRS BEASLEY'S RADIO PROGRAM: 7385.1U, 6/30, 0140-0208. Spot for Gurge Cafeteria. #1's stn parody, sfx. Song "Take a Look Around You", PSA abt boys proving manhood, IDs by falsetto OM sounded like old woman. Skit "Murder on the High Seas". Ment QSLs, didn't catch addr. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7385.15U, 6/30, 0145-0200, SIO=342. PSE QSL (KEENEY,KS)

NAPRS: 7385U, 6/25, *0100-0122*, SIO=343. R Magic Relay w/ rock mx, IDs & tlk in Engl & Russian. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 7/13, *0413-0415*, SIO=353. Relay ID by Dick Pistek, Ment day 27 of SW Lib. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO)

OMEGA RADIO(tent): 7385U, 6/20, 0005-0017*, *0054-0058*, 0147-0148, SIO=454. Rock mx, comments on album covers fm Christian POV, 1-800 ph #, Kennedy assassination tlk. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO)

ONGOING HISTORY OF MX: 7385U, 7/10, 2326-2357, weak. OM annr w/ hist & info abt mx. Seemed to QRT every 5 mins or so, possibly fading out at those times. PSE NO MORE & QSL. (TRUMMEL,MO)

PATRIOTIC FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF AMERICA: 7385U, 6/27, 0227-0236. Electronic mx, song "Dangerous to be Right when Govt is Wrong". ID & into speech by Oliver North type. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7385U, 6/27, 0228-0244*, SIO=344. Annr compared non-thinking people to frogs, said not to trust anyone who says bigger govt is better. PSE QSL (LEWIS,IL) 7385.1U, 6/27, *0227-0244*, SIO=343. Dragnet theme. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/27, 0227-0243*, S5. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/27, *0227-0244*, SIO=232. (GROTE,MO) 7385.1U, 6/27, *0227-0244*, SIO=242. PSE QSL (KEENEY,KS)

PIRATE RADIO BOSTON: 7385U, 7/15, 0429, SIO=242. Very weak, lots of noise. (KEENEY,KS)

PIRATE RADIO HOMOSEXUALITY: 7385U, 6/18, 0230-0240+, SIO=444. Capt Bruce & Big Austin w/ "The Wet 'N Wild Show". Comment abt how they loved being "sandwiched" in between other stns bdcsting. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/18, 0225-0227*, SIO=454. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO)

RADIO 13 INTERNATIONAL: 7384.9, 7/7, 0255-0305, SIO=353. Gong IS, "This is R 13" repeated by OM, tlk, banjo mx. PLS QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/7, 0258-0316, SIO=222. OM w/ GE accent. Mx, Supertramp. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/7, 0255-0304, SIO=333. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/10, *0154-0225*, SIO=242. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/10, 0155-0225, SIO=211. PSE QSL (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 7/10, 1500-1530, SIO=444. PSE QSL (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 7/10, 1435-1525, SIO=332. PSE QSL (KEENEY,KS) 7385U, 7/10, 1427-1529*, SIO=3/444. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/10, *0155-0225*, SIO=444. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/10, 0155*, S7, SIO=444. PSE QSL (FOLK,KY) 7384.9U, 7/10, 0155-0225, SIO=444. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/10, *0155-0225*, SIO 333. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH)

RADIO AIRPLANE: 7385U, 7/3, *0258-0323*, S7. Capt Eddy w/ rock, ads, & 400 lbs fireworks for FCC monitoring stn. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/29, 0247+, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/29, 0244-0301*, SIO=333 Older show (?) w/ 1-800 #, country mx LP ads, tlk abt Lad of VOTN, mx by Led Zep "Going to CA." Abruptly off. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 7/3, 0300-0325, SIO=222. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 7/3, *0258-0327, SIO=333. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/3, 0300-0330*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 7/3, 0314. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/3, *0300-0324*, SIO=323. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 7/3, 0315-0325+, SIO=444. (STEPHENS,AL)

RADIO AZTECA: 7385U, 7/12, *0200-0236*, 343. B Stoker w/ show #10, Thanked NAPRS & Unknown Beaver for relay, Wlsvl drop. Mailbag show incl letter fm me! WLS "Animal Stories" w/ Old Uncle Lar & Lil' Snootnose Tommy. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/12, *0200-0220, SIO=1/242. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/12, 0222*, S8, SIO=454. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 7/12, *0200-0230+, SIO=343+. Top 10 list why scarfman went to Kulpville. PGM #10. (ZELLER,OH)

RADIO BOB'S COMM NET: 7384.9U, 7/8, 0146-0204*, SIO=2/333. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/8, 0146-0204*, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA) 7447U, 7/14, *0059-0152*, SIO=3/433. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 3400U, 7/16, *0400-0457*, SIO=444. Show #3. (STEPHENS,AL)

RADIO DOOMSDAY: 7385U, 6/19, 0235-0240+, SIO=555. Nemesis in QSO w/ Capt Willy, Capt Eddy, Dr. Love & others. Tlkd abt how great skip conditions were & ment he destroyed all R Domsday QSL & R Domsday is no more R Domsday no longer QSLs. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, 1994-0330, 0400*, SIO=252. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/4, *0043-0050*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 0323, SIO=222. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 7/4 0343-0400*, SIO=333. (STACEY,AL) 7385U, 7/4, 0045-0050, SIO=332. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST,NY) 7385U, 7/4, 0044. (SILVIA,MA) 7384.8U, 7/4, 0336-0341+, SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7384.7U, 0043-0049, 7/4. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, 7/4, 0328-0340, SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, 0045-0052*, SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, 0322-0400*, SIO=444. (GROTE,MO)

RADIO FREE EUPHORIA: 7384.4U, 6/28, 0314-0340+, SIO=211. Dragnet theme, QSL info. (LEWIS,IL) 7384.4, 6/28, 0333-0349*, SIO=333. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST,NY) 7384.3, 6/28, 0322, S9, SIO=544. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 7/2, *0021-0102*, S9+. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/3, 0115. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7386U, 7/3, 0055. (SILVIA,MA) 7386U, 7/3, 0021-0102*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385.9U, 7/3, 0024-0059, SIO=422. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/3, 0035-0053, SIO=323. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385vU, 7/3, 0023-0042+, SIO=343+. (ZELLER,OH) 7386U, 7/3, 0036-0103, SIO=323. (LECLERC,CT)

RADIO FREE JESUS: 9905CW, 7/3, *0330-0336*, SIO=533. CW test, Huntsville drop. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, *0103-0126*, S7. Max Gain Live. Promised taped pgming soon, flamed FCC for fining kid that ran the Chicago FM Pirate stn. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/4, 0120-0126*, SIO=222. (GROTE,MO)

RADIO FREE OJ: 7385U, 6/17, no times given, SIO=555. OM w/ live update on OJ chase. PSE QSL (HALL,NY) 7385U, 6/18, 0234-0238+, SIO=233. Sd live bcast & that will QSL if OJ gets the chair or microwave. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/18, 0215-0200+, SIO=545. PSE QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7384.8U, 6/18, 0238-0247, SIO=344. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/18, 0300, SIO=444. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7384.7U, 6/18, 0035-0041+, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ)

RADIO GARBANZO: 7385U, 6/23, 0104+, SIO=555. Bdcstg fm Ethels Buns truck, Fearless Fred w/ ads for "DAMM" Drunks Against Madd Mothers. (CRUZAN,MO) 7385U, 0139-0147, 6/23, SIO=222. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385U, 6/23, 0107, SIO=353. Show #12 (TRUMMEL,MO)

RADIO MAGIC: 7385U, 6/25, *0100-0115, SIO=343. Relay of Russian pirate by NAPRS. Thick-accented OM in English, rock mx, Perm, Russia addr. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385v, 6/25, 0101-0120+, SIO=444. (ZELLER,OH) 7385.3U, 6/25, 0101-0125, SIO=333. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/25, 0010-0125, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/25, 0101-0126, SIO=222. (LECLERC,CT)

RADIO outhouse: 7385U, 6/25, 0130-0155, SIO=221. ID, w/intro of Billy Joe Jack Daniels & assistant Bob. Comments abt stn's Icom fm hamfest, vertically wound antenna, need for exhaust fan. Unid mx, tlk abt 8-track. Comments abt mailman coming, taking dump while live on 41m, banking & money, need for indoor plumbing, inbreeding, colon cancer, SWL's, 7KW amp, & 8-tracks. Song "Pumpkin-Head". PLS QSL (SCHMEHL,PA) 7385U, 6/25, 0127-0203*, SIO=455. PSE QSL (LEWIS,IL) 7385.1U, 6/26, *0127-0203*, SIO=343+. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/26, *0126-0202*, fair sig. PSE QSL (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, S7, 444. PSE QSL (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 6/26, *0127-0202*, SIO=322 (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/26, 0202. PSE QSL (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 6/26, 0135-0203, SIO=111. PSE QSL (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 6/26, 0130-0203*, SIO=333. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/26, 0130-0200, SIO=222. PSE QSL (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 6/26, *0127-0202*, SIO=322. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385, 6/26, 0130-0203*, SIO=3/444. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/26, 0127-0202*, SIO=444. PSE QSL (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/26, *0128-0200+, SIO=323. PSE QSL (ARTHUR,NY) 7385U, 6/26, 0128-0203, SIO=353. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7385U, 6/26, 0128, SIO=454. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/3, 0331. (SILVIA,MA) 7386U, 7/3, 0206. (SILVIA,MA) 7386U, 7/3, 0234-0300*, SIO=333. PSE QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/3, 0230-0300, SIO=333. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST, NY) 7385U, 7/3, *0218-0253*, SIO=323. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 7/3, *0324-0403+, S9++.(TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/26, 0131, SIO=434. (STACEY,AL) 7385U, 0325-0400, SIO=111. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 7/3, 0324-0410, SIO=433. (LECLERC,CT) 7386U, 7/3, 0216-0254, SIO=433. (LECLERC,CT) 7385U, 7/3, 0237-0253. Same pgm as 6/26. PSE QSL (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, 7/3, 0327-0410, SIO=333. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/3, 0319-0410, SIO=333 (YOUNG,VA) 7385U, 7/3, *0324-0330, SIO=323. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7386U, 7/3, 0129-0254*, SIO=232. (GROTE,MO) 7386U, 7/3, *0216-0253*, S9++.(TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 0212-0253*, SIO=444. Repeat 6/26. Also 0330-0410*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7386U, 7/4, *0212-0253*, S9++.(TRUMMEL,MO) 7386U, 7/4, 0215. (SILVIA,MA) 7386U, 7/4, 0215-0240, SIO=333 (YOUNG,VA) 7385U, 0238, SIO=333. (HASSIG,IL) 7386.05, 0213-0253*, SIO=243 PSE QSL (STACEY,AL) 7386.1U, 7/4, 0217-0246, SIO=434/121. (GROTE,MO) 7386.2U, 7/4, 0215-0254*, SIO=433. "Peter Pumpkinhead" by XTC, IDs. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/4, 0217. Sugar's "If I Can't Change Your Mind", decent sig. PSE QSL (WOLFISH,ONT) 7386U, 7/4, 0230- 0245, SIO=444. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, 0340-0411*, SIO=444 (STEPHENS,AL)

RADIO STAR OF THE NORTH/CSRN: 7384.6U, 6/19, 0048-0053. SIO=232 Rock mx, several IDs, Welavl drop. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385.7U, 6/19, 2229-2239*, SIO=242. Short bdcst, mx "99 Red Balloons". (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/19, 2232- 2233, SIO=111. (LEWIS,IL) 7385.7U, 6/19, 2227-2238*, SIO=232. (STACEY,AL) 7384.6U, 6/19, 0033-0053*, SIO=2-342. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/19, 0230-0300, SIO=333. (HALL,NY) 7385U, 6/19, *0030-0053*, SIO=555+. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/19 0245-0255*, SIO=454. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19,0242-0256, SIO=121. (GROTE,MO) 7385.5U drift to 7385.7U, 6/19, 2218-2238*, SIO=242. Mx "99 Red Balloons". (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0031-0053*, SIO=221 Mx "I Am The Walrus", "I Can't Drive 55". Ment premier bdcst. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 6/19, *0239-0255*, SIO=555. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7389.5U, 6/22, 0149-0212*, SIO=555+. Show #4. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/25, 0105-0126* SIO=344. Mx Billy Idol & Neil Young, comedy fm Sat night live. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/25, 0106-0118, SIO=333. Unknown rock song followed by Woody Woodpecker theme. ID "R Star of the North", w/ op ID as Mass Moron & comments abt this being the last bdcst for awhile, definitely won't be active over the 4th. Billy Idol song, ID. Neil Young, Twisted Sister songs, bit abt sanitary napkins. (SCHMEHL,PA) 7385U, 6/26, 0105-0126*, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 0242-0323*, 6/26, fair/good sig. "Star Baby" by Guess Who, mx by Neil Young, Midnight Oil, Journey. Welavl addr. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, 6/26, *0105-0126*, SIO=343. Bdcst Amateurs for R Freedom (BARF) (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/26, 0110-0125, SIO=222. (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 6/26, 0104. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 6/26, 0114-0126*, SIO=322. Tlk abt Reagan, played Journey & Midnight Oil. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385, 0106, 6/26, S8, 454 (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 6/26, *0114-0127*, SIO=333. (ARTHUR,NY) 7385U, 6/26, 0104-0125*, fair sig. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, 6/26, 0107-0126, SIO=323. (LECLERC,CT) 7385U, 6/26, 0104-0126*, SIO=444.

(RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/26, 0108, SIO=333. (STACEY,AL) 7384.5U, 7/2, 0510-0525, SIO=333. IS "Spirit In The Sky", plug for Letterman, tlk abt IRS, homeless people. (RAUSCH,NJ)

RADIO STELLA INTERNATIONAL: 7385U, 7/6, *0158-0212+, SIO=232. OM w/ mx, IDs, tough copy. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385vU, 7/6, *0158-0229*, SIO=354. Jock Wilson w/ pgm of rock, obviously NA relay. Acquired 150w Euro xmr, offers airtime @ \$10/hr. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 7/6, 0159-0228, SIO=242. Mx, (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/6, 0205-0210, SIO=444. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST,NY) 7385U, 7/6, 0200- 0228*, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA)

RADIO USA: 7387, 7/2, *2254-0025+, weak. Poss tlk by OM & mx. Just too weak for anything else. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385, 7/2, 2312-2314, SIO=232. Hrd newflash, Barney holding Baby Bob hostage in Orlando. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7386, 7/2, 2339. (SILVIA,MA) 7285, 7/2, 2340-2345*, SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7387, 7/9, 2313-2342, SIO=322. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST,NY) 7387, 7/9, 2339-2342. (SUTER,VA) 7386.9, 7/9, 2309-2342*, SIO=1/232. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7387, 7/11, *0012-0042*, S5. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7387, 7/11, 0024-0037+, SIO=444/222. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7386.9, 7/11, 2349-2356*, SIO=333. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI)

REBEL RADIO NETWORK: 7385.1U, 6/28, 0139-0158*, SIO=222. OM annrcs, mailbag pgm, Venus TX (?) addr. PSE QSL (STACEY,AL) 7384.7U, 6/28, 0052-0122, SIO=353/322. Interview abt SW & pirates, complaints of lack of pub access to bdcsting. TX POB for QSL. (ZELLER,OH)

RKNA/ ROCK OF NORTH AMERICA: 7385U, 6/30, 0225-0237*, SIO=444. Ole Western Fella w/ CPA prayer, pro-American, pro-President, anti-Clinton. Howdy to P Muzik, R Bob, Nemesis. Proud to be part of SW Lib. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U/7415U, 7/9, 1108-1124*, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7415U, 7/9, 1115-1119*, SIO=1/242. Comment by Old Western Fella, ID, NY drop. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7415U, 7/9, 1122-1125*, S9+*. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/9, 1103-1109*, SIO=1/242. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/16, *2253-2255*, SIO=454. Old Western Fella, "Take care now boys & girls" (TRUMMEL,MO)

SOLID ROCK RADIO: 7385U, 6/18, 0225-0228, SIO=222. 0402-0413, SIO=222. 2356-0000*, RST=345, in CW. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0000-0012, SIO=121. (GROTE,MO) 7385CW, 6/18, *0243-2358*. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385CW, 6/18, 2348-0000*, SIO=353. ACE plug. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0000-0014*, SIO=322. Sesame Street & Muppet Show themes. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 6/19, 0111-0122, SIO=121. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, 0335-0344, SIO=443. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, 0334-0342, SIO=555+. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7384.9U, 6/19, 0002-0022, SIO=444. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/19, 0334. (SILVIA,MA) 7384.5U, 6/19, 0031, SIO=131. (STACEY,AL) 7465, 6/19, 0139-0148, SIO=221. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 6/19, 0235-0240+. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, *0000-0010+. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0106-0122*, SIO=322. Superfunky mx, "Popeye", "Inspector Gadget" themes. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 6/19, *0335-0345*, SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, *0000-0016, SIO=141. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7384.9U, 6/25, 0325-0345*, SIO=333. Mx incl B52s. Annncd contest & advised listeners to send tapes w/ their reasons why they listen to SW. (Since most pirates, SRR incl, make fun of female DXers, there's no way anyone's getting a tape fm me!) (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 0022-0025, 6/25, SIO=232. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385U, 6/26, *0202-0216, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/26, 0209-0217, SIO=434. (LECLERC,CT) 7385U, 6/26, 0325. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 6/26, *0208-0216*, SIO=322. Mx, "Devil Went Down To GA" (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 6/26, 0327-0345, SIO=222. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 6/26, 0208-0216*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/26, 0330-0350+, SIO=433. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/26, 0210-0217, SIO=111. Country-rock mx. Intro from "The Shadow". (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 6/26, *0208-0216* SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/26, *0326-0345*, SIO=444. B52s mx (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/26, 0332-0342+, SIO=343/242-. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/26, *0405-0419*, SIO=222. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7384.9, 6/26, 0209, 6/26, S6, 444; 7385, 0326, 6/26, S8, SIO=444. 7385, 0406, 6/26, S4, SIO=322. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 6/26, 0208, SIO=222. (STACEY,AL) 7385U, 6/27, 2250-2300. (GROTE,MO) 7385.3CW, 6/27, 2250-2303*, SIO=353/252-. CW de Dr Love, annncd test. ACE ad. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/30, 0051-0104, SIO=222. (SUTER,VA) 7465, 7/2, 0145, ID, Queen Latifah mx. (SILVIA,MA) 7465U, 7/2, 0121-0130, SIO=232 (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/5, 0153-0235, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA) 7384.9U, 7/5, *0153-0215*, SIO=343/242-. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 7/5, 0222-0234, SIO=221. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 7/5, 0158-0235*, SIO=333. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 7/5, *0153-0235*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 0154-?, SIO=222. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 7/10, 2359-0022*, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 7/10-11, *2359-0022*, SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/11, 0000-0030, SIO=444.

(PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 7/11, *0000-0022*, S2-S9+. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385CW, 7/11, 0122-0125, SIO=353. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385, 7/11, 0002*, S3, SIO=333. (FOLK,KY)

SPAM RADIO: 7385U, 6/25, 0239-0325*, SIO=333 Offered to take "explicit" QSLs back & replace them for listening audience. DJs Spam Barclay & King Spam w/ mailbag, tlk abt R Free Jesus. Played some song attributed to me (dream on!). (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/26, *0239-0324*, SIO=333-. OMs discuss Spam, w/ Spam mx, mailbag, MN addr. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/26, 0239. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 6/26, *0238-0256, SIO=222. On w/ "Always look on the bright side of life". (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 0239-0325*, 6/26, SIO=343. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385U, 6/26, 0245-0300, SIO=211. (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 6/26, 0315-0325*, SIO=545. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/26, 0239-0309, SIO=333/222. (GROTE,MO) 7384.9, 0239, 6/26, S7, 433. (FOLK,KY) 7384.9U, 6/26, *0239-0325*, SIO=333. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/26, 0239- 0325*, SIO=222. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/26, 0242-0323*. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385U, 6/26, 0300-0325, SIO=222. (HASSIG,IL) 7385U, 6/26, 0237-0324*, SIO=444. Song by Y Lewis. (RAUSCH,NJ)

TANGERINE RADIO: 7376, 1922-1938, 6/18, SIO=323. Repeat of '93 show incl rock mx. Memmonite Surf Party, etc. (LOBDELL,MA) 7376, 6/18, 1927-2004, SIO=111 Rem "The one I love", Welsvl drop. Not much copy on anything else, due to poor signal. Poss relay by CSIC. (LEWIS,IL) 7375.3, 6/18, 1923-1938*, SIO=242. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI)

THE ASYLUM: 7385U, 6/24, *0225-0255*, SIO=454. Repeat of first bdcst. Weird mx, tlk by OM abt being locked up in an Asylum. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 0226-0245, 6/24, SIO=232. Vocal by man, weird mx, tlking by a man, mx box mx. sirens. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385U, 6/24, 0230, SIO=252. Repeat of first Act. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/24, 0227-0255*, SIO=343. Pink Floyd mx. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/3, *0105-0130*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 0105-0130, SIO=333. PSE QSL (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 7/3, 0125-0130* SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/3, 0105. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/3, 0115-0130*, SIO=444. This was show #2. PSE QSL (KEENEY,KS)

UP AGAINST THE WALL RADIO: 7384.7U, 6/26, 0144-0203*, SIO=444. Need comments on pgming to get QSL. Machine gun fire at s/off. (COATSWORTH IN BELFAST,NY) 7384.6, 6/27, 0121-0202. Sound fx, ID, IS, Zappa mx, at end. Thanked Mr Frank Vincent Zappa. Said was relay via XYZ R. (PROVANCE,OH) 7384.6U, 6/27, 0133-0203*, SIO=333. Mx REM & Zappa. Preaching for "anarchy & end of civilization as we know it." Said incl comments w/ report or not bothering to write. Xray Yankee Zulu relay announced @ QRT. (LEWIS,IL) 7384.7U, 6/27, 0135-0202, SIO=545/242. (GROTE,MO) 7384.7U, 6/27, *0130-0203*, SIO=343+. (ZELLER,OH) 7385U, 6/27, 0130-0253, SIO=253. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/27, 0120-0201*, SIO=343. (STEPHENS,AL) 7384.6U, 6/27, *0120-0121*, SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/27, 0139-0203, SIO=344. (HASSIG,IL) 7384.6U, 6/27, 0140-0202, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ)

VIDEO RADIO: 7385U, 7/10 1923-1925, SIO=322. Short mx, IDed as (I think) "Video Radio", ment Frogmore SC & s/off. PSE QSL. (PFAFF,VA) (Ray, see EBO Radio-pub)

VOICE OF JOURNEY (?): 7385U, 7/8, 0148-0203*. Man & woman annrcs, no addr given. Hrd "The Voice of.." quite clearly, but couldn't copy the last word. Since they played all-Journey songs, ID fits. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7384.2U, 7/8, 0145, SIO=322. Relay by RBCN. Spoof addr in San Francisco CA. PSE QSL. (STACEY,AL) 7385U, 7/8, 0155-0203*, SIO= 333. Letter fm Lazlo Suntan. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 7/8, 0148-0202, SIO=333. (SUTER,VA)

VOICE OF SMOKE, 6TVOS: 7386U, 7/3, 0140-0211, SIO=333. Pigpen Marley w/reggae by Marley, Jimmy Cliff, Burning Spear. Mailbag w/ letters fm Suter & me. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7386U, 7/3, 0147-0212, SIO=333. Reggae mx. Letter fm E Suter. Welsvl addr. (GROTE,MO) 7386U, 7/4,*0139-0200+, SIO=252. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/3, 0201-0218*, SIO=323. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385U, 7/3, 0140-0200+, SIO=444. (STEPHENS,AL) 7386U, 7/3, 0206. (SILVIA,MA) 7385U, 7/3, 0145-0200, SIO=242. (KEENEY,KS)

VOICE OF THE LAVATORY: 7385U, 6/26, 0205. Tried to QSO w/ R Outhouse. Outhouse came back w/ some cantankerous remarks that ended the QSO. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH)

VOICE OF THE REAL WORLD: 7385U, 6/19, 0316-0322, SIO=222. Tlk abt environment & destruction of the ozone layer. (LOBDELL,MA) 7385U, 6/19, 0302-0327*, SIO=222. M annrc advising that society needs change. Cited AT&T demise, civil rights violations, hole in ozone, & probs caused by inferior education & brain drain! PSE

QSL. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/19, 0302-0320, SIO=545/121. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0303-0327*, SIO=353. PSE QSL. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/19, 0300-0330, SIO=343. (HALL,NY) 7385U, 6/19, 0305-0327*, SIO=444. PSE QSL (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/19, *0304-0327*, SIO=555. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, 0300. PSE QSL (SILVIA,MA)

VOICE OF THE RUNAWAY MAHARISHI: 7384.5, 6/16-17, 2338-0009*. SIO=343. Psychedelic rock oldies. Travel agency w/ drug trips. History of ganja in White House. (ZELLER,OH) 7384.5U, 6/19-20, 2357-0006, SIO=122. Renaming the White House Brown House. (GROTE,MO) 7384.8U, 6/19, 0133- 0152+, SIO=322 (LEWIS,IL) 7384.8U, 6/19, 0513-0525, SIO=222. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/19, *0457-0538*, SIO=454/212. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7384.7U, 6/19, 0455-0532*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/19, 0501-0510+, SIO=242. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, 0500-0540, SIO=222. (HALL,NY) 7384.7U, 6/20, *2339-0008, SIO=333. (STACEY,AL) 7385U, 6/20, 2252-2300+, SIO=454. (STEPHENS,AL) 7387.2U, 7/3, 0423-0506*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7387U, 7/3, 0458-0508*, SIO=333. (STEPHENS,AL) 7387U, 7/3, 0423. (SILVIA,MA) 7387U, 7/3, 0427-0507, SIO=433. (LECLERC,CT)

WEED: 7384.8U, 6/19, 0428-0438+, SIO=333. M ancr w/ IDs & SFX which sounded like WEED. M didn't sound like Johnny Smoke, suspect this was some "loco", not the real "WEED". (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/19, *0420-0452*, SIO=555. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 6/19, 0423-0451*, SIO=444. Johnny smoke celebrating 3rd yr on 41m. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/19, 0420-0452*, SIO=444. Repeat of 4/24 show. (GROTE,MO) 7385U, 6/19, *0421-0451*, SIO=555+. Said don't QSL, tlk abt OJ Simpson, CCR mx. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/19, 0423-0435, SIO=242. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/19, 0430-0500, SIO=343. (HALL,NY) 7385U, 6/28, 0400+, SIO=555. (CRUZAN,MO) 7384.6U, 6/28, 0353-0422*, SIO=232. (LEWIS,IL) 7385, 6/28, 0355, S5. PSE QSL (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 7/4, 0505-0537*, SIO=333. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/4, *0505-0536*, S7. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/10, *0500?-0528*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385, 7/10, *0444, S3. PSE QSL (FOLK,KY)

WKIK: 7385.3, 6/20, 0218-0248, SIO=2-342. Relay of FM stn in Jacksonville FL, then RNI relay. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385.1U, 6/20, 0350-0520, SIO=131. (GROTE,MO) 7385, 6/20, 0255-0533+, SIO=353. RNI pgms, PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385.1, 6/20, 0223-0310+, SIO=242. (ZELLER,OH) (KEENEY,KS)

WKND: 7415.2, 6/20, *0048-0106, SIO=444/242. Animal w/ ID as "K-9 Dog", mx by Mass Production. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7415, 7/2, 2325-0000*. Rock mx, ACE plug, QSLs fm Midnight R & R Doomaday, BRS drop. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7415, 7/2, 2325. R Animal w/ Judas Priest mx. (SILVIA,MA) 7415, 7/2, 2330-0001*, SIO=444. (STEPHENS,AL) 7415, 7/2, 2336-0001, SIO=434. (LECLERC,CT) 7415, 7/4, 2324-0002*, weak. (TRUMMEL,MO)

WLAR: 7385.2, 7/27, *0125-0128*, SIO=343. Strange mx of instr mx, OM IDs. No addr ancd. (ZELLER,OH)

WLIS: 7385, 6/25, 0220-0233*, SIO=222. TWR IS, & IDs. (LEWIS,IL) 7385U, 6/26, 0325-0335+, SIO=433. Usual ISs. QRM fm SRR. IDs & BRS drop. (PFAFF,VA) 7385, 6/26, 0230-0245. SIO=111 Usual mixture of IDs, one fm R Bangladesh. Ment Glen Hauser. (PFAFF,VA) 7385U, 6/26, *0220-0227, SIO=222. (SUTER,VA) 7384.9, 0224, 6/26, S4, SIO=333. (FOLK,KY) 7385U, 6/26, 0222-, SIO=111. (HASSIG,IL) 7385, 6/26, 0221-0231*, poor sig. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7385, 6/26, 0338, very poor sig. (WOLFISH,ONT) 7384.9, 6/26, 0221-0233*, SIO=242. (ZELLER,OH) 7385, 6/26, 0325-0341*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385, 6/26, *0220-0232*, SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/28, 0112-0130+, SIO=322. (SUTER,VA) 7385U, 6/28, 0122, SIO=454. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 6/28, 0120-0120, SIO=311. (SCHMEHL,PA) 7385.1U, 6/28, 0100+, SIO=555. PSE QSL (CRUZAN,MO) 7385U, 6/28, 0104-0137*, SIO=444. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 6/28, *0105-0137*, SIO=333/353+. (ZELLER,OH) 7385.13U, 6/28, 0112, SIO=222. (STACEY,AL) 7385.1U, 6/28, *0100-0122*, SIO=433. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 6/28, *0123-0137*, SIO=4-544. Hrd my salute again. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385U, 7/2, 0043-0103, SIO=132. (GROTE,MO) 7385, 7/2, 0050. (SILVIA,MA) 7385, 7/2, 0050-0102*, SIO=333. (JERNIGAN,TN) 7385, 7/2, 0040-0102*, SIO=333. (RAUSCH,NJ) 7385U, 7/13, *0400-0413*, SIO=353. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385U, 7/13, *0400-0413*, SIO=443. R Australia IS & salute to Skip Arey. (KEENEY,KS)

WQSL: 7423, 7/4, 2230-2240, SIO=232. (STEPHENS,AL)

WRDM (Roy D Mercer): 7385U, 7/17, 0505-0520+, SIO=232. Southern-accent OM w/Stones mx. No addr. PSE QSL. (STEPHENS,AL) 7385U, 7/17, 0444-0508, SIO=252. PSE QSL. (PROVANCE,OH)

WREC: 7385, 6/11, 0213-0226, SIO=333. Song, "What the World Needs Now". Message, "Serving Planet Earth fm the mother-ship..". Unknown song, then "You are listening to the Pirate Voice of the East, WREC bdcating on the 41m shortwave band". Drop 452 or 109. PJ Sparx. (SCHMEHL,PA) 7385.2, 7/1, 0053-0059*, SIO=343+. Huckleberry Hound & Little Rascals mx, promo ID de Al Jaffe of WMAD. Survival golf sketch. Bullfrog Beer ad. PJ Sparks w/ Wellsville & BRS addr. (ZELLER,OH)

WRFW (RADIO FREE WISCONSIN): 7385U, 6/22, *0235-0255*, SIO=353. Dick Bender & Ben Dover w/ Bob Marley, skit, IDs, BRS drop. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7385.1U, 6/22, 0238-0255*, SIO=444. (GROTE,MO)

WRFW (RADIO FREE WIGGIE): 7380.7v, 7/15, 0350-0706+, SIO=353. Tribute to some guys that were run over by a train, "...a real stupid game to play. Tlk abt G Washington & T Jefferson, rap, blues, rock mx, OM annr said live bdcst. WRFW & RF Wiggie IDs. Played mx fm a band the annr used to be in. Drifted to 7379.6, at 0701 carrier at 7379.8. PSE QSL. (KEENEY,KS) (TRUMMEL,MO)

WVOL: 7385U, 6/19, 2239, SIO=333. On aft CSRM relay by RSotN. Comparison of Pop Comm & ACE, ACE better! (STACEY,AL) 7385.7U, 6/19, *2239-2323, SIO=122. (GROTE,MO) 7385.7U, 6/19, 2244-2307+, SIO=252-. (ZELLER,OH) 7385.6, 6/20, 2230-2300, SIO=121. (HALL,NY) 7386U, 2315*, 6/19, SIO=252. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7389.5, 6/22, 0122-0125*, weak. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO) 7386U, 7/2, 2355-2359*, SIO=343. (STEPHENS,AL)

XRAY YANKEE ZULU: 7385RTTY, 6/19, *0330-0331*, SIO=555. On w/ brief RTTY msg aft Vot Real World. PLS QSL (STEPHENS,AL) 7385R, 6/19, 0330. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7385U, 6/18 & 6/19, 0120-0125. RTTY. (HALL,NY) 7384.9U, 6/23, *0106-0146*, SIO=121. (GROTE,MO) 7384.6U, 6/27, 0121-0203. (PROVANCE,OH) 7385U/R/CW, 6/27, 0347-0430. PSE QSL (PROVANCE,OH) 7384.6U, 6/27, 0203*, SIO=444. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) 7385RTTY, 7/11, 0125-0133*, SIO=353. PSE QSL (TRUMMEL,MO)

— ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD —

SHORTEST DAY RADIO: 7445U, 6/21, *0557-0702+, SIO=242. Hrd KIWI IS, SDR started @ 0600, mx ID. New Zealand addr. (via KIWI xmtr) (STACEY,AL) 7445U, 6/21, 0615-0805*, SIO=353. Mellow rock mx, IDs, new addr & ph #. Sent recording. (TRUMMEL,MO) 7445U, 6/21, 0611-0800, SIO=222. Different types of mx, "How Great Thou Art", many IDs. NZ addr. (SUTER,VA) 7445U, 6/21, 0619, SIO=121. Hrd ID pop thru. (KEENEY,KS)

KIWI: 7445U, 6/21, 0705-0806, SIO=121. G Barclay OM, unid mx, "...in stereo..", no addr. (GROTE,MO)

???? UNIDENTIFIEDS ????

6910.7: 7/14, 0226-0331+, SIO=2/322. Loop tape pgm of EZL mx. "What A Wonderful World" by Louis Armstrong. "Never My Love" by YL. No ID. PSE ID/QSL (FILIPKOWSKI,RI) (Rainer Brandt rpts Dublin Community Radio here on 7/16-17.pub)

7384.4U: 6/19, 0109-0112*, SIO=343. Jazz mx. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI)

7384.5U: 6/30, *0052-0057, SIO=444/141. OM w/ tlc abt JFK assassination. PSE ID/QSL. (FILIPKOWSKI,RI)

7384.6U: 6/20, 0133-0139, SIO=222. Someone "in concert" singing Star Spangled Banner, Brady Bunch & Partridge Family songs a capella. Plz keep your day job! (LEWIS,IL) 6/19, 0235-0237, SIO=222. Spirit In The Sky Intro, mx "Maybe Tomorrow". No addr. (GROTE,MO)

7384.66U: 6/20, 0312, SIO=232. R&r mx, Sound bit of Countdown Control. PSE ID/QSL (STACEY,AL)

7384.7: 0056, 6/28, S3, SIO=232. Tlk show abt free radio. Texas addr. PSE QSL (FOLK, KY) 7384.7U, 6/28, *0057-0058, SIO=232. OM ment FM radio, free radio. PSE ID/QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) (see Rebel Radio Network-pub)

7384.8: 6/26, 2227-2235, SIO=444. Cheech & Chong version of 3 Little Pigs. (RAUSCH, NJ) 7384.8U: 6/26, *2230*, SIO=333. Cheech & Chong. PSE QSL. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST, NY)

7384.8: 7/17, 0025-0054*, weak. OM tilking at 0030 & 0041-0045. Steve Miller Band "The Joker", "Black Magic Marker", Welsvl addr, "United States of Euphoria". PSE ID & QSL. (TRUMMEL, MO) (Sounds like the "joint RFE/KNBS bc-pub)

7384.9U: 7/8, *0148-0204*, SIO=2/332. OM w/ rock mx. "we don't have a mailing address" Relay via RBCN. PSE ID/QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 7/6, 0200-0205*, SIO=353-. Partial ID "Vo ?" Said no addr now, live relay anmt by RBCN @ 0203, sed repts to ACE. (ZELLER, OH)

7385U: 6/26, 0220-0226, SIO=131. No copy on tlk and mx. (JERNIGAN, TN) 7/4, *0402-0420, SIO=454. Played Jazz & big band type mx. (TRUMMEL, MO) 7/3, 0104-0134, SIO=222. Barking dogs. (COATSWORTH in BELFAST, NY) 7385U: 6/17, 0155-0215. POB 5502 or 95071, ask 3 stamps. "You're listening to R Dixer. write to me". PSE QSL (HALL, NY) 6/19, 0400-0405, SIO=252. Unid stn w/ "Still Haven't Found What I'm Looking For" by U2. PLS ID/QSL. (STEPHENS, AL) 6/19, *0128-0130*, SIO=221. On w/ "and now behind the scenes at Clinton's White House". (JERNIGAN, TN) 6/19, 0554-0556*, SIO=444. Mx by Everly Bros. (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 6/20, 0005-0018*, SIO=322. Chaotic mx of mx, ad for pamphlet how to teach kids to choose right mx groups. (JERNIGAN, TN) 6/25, 0211-0216*, SIO=333. Played "Devil Went Down to GA", "The Shadow" & ad for Goodrich windshield wipers. (LEWIS, IL) 6/25, *0240-0242*, SIO=222. Marching song, male singing. PLS QSL (SCHMEHL, PA) 6/26, 2226-2235*, SIO=454. Playing Cheech & Chong skits incl "3 Little Pigs". PSE ID/ QSL. (STEPHENS, AL) 6/27, 0236-0242, SIO=141. Very weak mx, OM tlk. PSE ID/QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 7/2, 0140-0142, SIO=333. "Hawaii 5-0" several times. (GROTE, MO) 7/3, 0126, SIO=242. Unknown song. PSE ID/QSL. (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 7/6, 0251-0308, SIO=222. Classic rock CCR, Led Zep. PSE ID/QSL. (SILVIA, MA) 7/10, *2303-2309*, SIO=455. Horror movie mx excellent audio. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 7/10, *2318-2323*, SIO=444. OM w/ addr for Depeche Mode club. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI) 7/11, 0305-0307*, weak. Depressed-sounding OM tilking. Thought I hrd the word "Intl". PSE QSL. (TRUMMEL, MO) 7/11, 0305-0307*, SIO=343. OM gave ID "Vo...", laughter. PSE QSL (FILIPKOWSKI, RI)

7385.2U: 6/30, 0140-0208, SIO=232/131. OM w/falsetto high-pitched voice. Mx, "Take A Look Around You", "Spam song". (TRUMMEL, MO)

7385.9U: 7/3, 0104, SIO=242. Hrd barking dogs. PSE QSL/ID (FILIPKOWSKI, RI)

7386U: 7/4, 0213-0215. Anti-establishment tlk. No addr. (GROTE, MO)

7386.4U: 6/29, 0403-0425. IS similar to R. Airplane. OM w/tlk & mx. Barely audible & faded out. Tentatively R. Airplane? (PROVANCE, OH) 7387U: 7/3, 0450-0507, SIO=111. Rock mx. "Daffy Duck" DJ vx. (HASSIG, IL)

7465: 6/26, 0519-0523, SIO=111. Song w/ electric guitar & vocals. OM said "Solid Rock Radio" then NBC musical tones. PSE QSL/ID (PAPPAS, SD) (see Solid Rock R-pub)

15050: 7/10, 0246-0303+, SIO=141. Very tough copy, OM w/ Brit accent w/oldies "Since I Don't Have You", bell tool. PSE/ID. (FILIPKOWSKI, RI)

- PLEASE QSL -

Note: If you wish your name/address listed here please let me know as this info is not automatically printed.

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Publisher's Page

Rob Keeney

Let me get this out of the way first: I'm sorry the July issue was sooooo late! A paste-up error that made it all the way to the print shop started the fiasco, and then I forgot to put the page #s on the corrected master. This caused the middle 2 sheets to get stapled in reverse order. If it hadn't been for the extra efforts of Kirk & Lynn Baxter to pull staples, re-collate, and re-staple, you might still be waiting! Once again, I'm sorry, and that's the last time I paste up the ACE while heavily sedated, hi!

Next on the agenda is the KGUN QSL on the July cover. What better way to start some fireworks, huh! The "patriotic" theme seemed to fit for a July cover, too. There was absolutely no intent to insult or offend anybody! This also illustrates my need for some good QSLs for the cover. If nobody sends anything soon, I guess I'll have to use the Spam Radio QSL in September!

Kudos to Steve Rogovich for doing an excellent job with the deluge of loggings from the past month! I believe there was 31 consecutive days of free radio activity heard in North America. This evidently was not a planned event, it just sort of happened. I guess this proves that if you listen during the middle of the week, you just might hear something! I do agree with JTA that the ops put themselves at an even bigger risk by coming on so often. A lot of the programming was excellent, and some was not so good, but that's the way it's always been. It was also interesting to hear some relays of old programs, like the Rebel Radio Network. Too bad they are not around anymore! The surge of activity also got a lot more people contributing loggings to the ACE and did generate quite a few inquiries for ACE membership.

And finally, rumor has it that Scott Gentry has had so much success hearing pirates while delivering pizzas (or is it pizzae), the FCC will be opening up a chain of pizza parlors all across the country and equipping each delivery car with a DX440!

See you next month and keep listening!

Rob

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Unless otherwise attributed, opinions expressed in Veried Response are those of this clown and hopefully do not represent the attitudes or opinions of any sane person. Any disagreement or complaint should be directed in triplicate to this columnist for round-filing.

Contrary to a statement made on WKND recently, I am most definitely not the "godfather of pirate radio". I have never broken anyone's knees, nor fitted anyone for cement shoes, although I can think of a few people I'd like to fix up. Nor have I ever sent out my thugs...errrr, make that FRIENDS to do so. Perhaps the Animal thought it was a cute phrase, I don't know. Whatever, it's not true.

"A journalist is a person with nothing on his mind
and the power to express it."

--Russell Baker

What's News: the media report

The only news of the month is that Ye Olde Columniste is making a serious attempt to enter the 20th century, computer-wise. After more than 11 years slaving over the hot keyboard of this now-antique Apple 2e, we have jumped light-years ahead with the acquisition of a 286-based IBM-compatible jobbie, and have managed to make it work with a 9600 baud modem. Once we figure out how everything works, the entire column will be compiled on the new computer, and this here Apple will probably be allowed to rot under a tree somewhere. No doubt about it; the IBM is much more computer than I'm used to. Ahhh, progress!

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"The Uniden Cookbook" \$20; "Uniden Updates" (supplement) \$12; both cover HR2510, HR2600, HR2830, Lincoln and RS HTX100. "The RCI Handbook" covers RCI2900, RCI2950, Sommerkamp 789 and Galaxy Uranus Mk2, \$20. "The Ranger Cookbook", covering AR3300 and AR3500, \$15. All books cover simple mods and upgrades using standard parts, and contain easy to read text and instructions. Inquiries require a SASE; technical questions require a SASE and a loose first-class stamp. Contact: Bud Stacey, POB 907, Satsuma, AL 36572.

Studio equipment: Spotmaster 5M11 5 channel 15 input mono console; BE Spotmaster carts - one Series 4000, one Series 3000 (both need some work but repairable); Collins Twin-Tape rack-mount cart; EF Johnson "Pacemaker" xmtr w/manual (needs "mode" switch); Tempo One (needs PA work); Astron 10Amp power supply. Contact: jta for prices and further details.

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Off the Wall.... the rumor center...

A new address has been announced for KIWI and Radio G'day: PO Box 3174, Onekawa, Napier, New Zealand.

Word from George (Mr Clandestine) Zeller is that mail sent to the Venus, TX, address announced by Rebel Radio Network is being returned to sender stamped "moved, left no address". To quote George, "Ugh"...

You'll definitely want to be listening for KIWI early on September 5th (US date), since they will be doing a very special broadcast in honor of Grandma Gigi Lytle's birthday. They even plan to xmit as "Radio Gigi". I expect you should watch 7445USB, although propagation may not favor us...

Note to Ops: a certain listener group is planning DXpeditions for the upcoming weekends of October 14th and December 2nd. Kindly plan your broadcasts for these dates, if possible. Radio Azteca will most certainly be active those weekends...

Is there any truth to the rumor that Captain Ganja and Phil Muzik got together and smoked up a "joint" broadcast? According to the grapevine (hempline?) it's in the works. Wonder what they did with Pot Seedy - and whether Johnny Smoke is involved..?

What's the big deal about this so-called "shortwave liberation"? To me, it sounds like a very small handful of over-active Operators who have nothing better to do than take chances with the Feds, and are FAR more interested in quantity than in quality. Simply turning on a transmitter just to be able to say that another "consecutive day of pirate activity" has taken place is about the dumbest concept I've ever heard of. These "liberators" are accomplishing nothing but sticking their necks farther into the FCC noose. They'd be MUCH better off - as would we all - if they'd spend more time in the production studio putting together something worth broadcasting. Tweaking the nose(s) of the FCC is not terribly healthy; doing it

repeatedly for no good reason is downright stupid. Besides, these Ops seem to have forgot that we're actually celebrating about 15 YEARS of gradually increasing Free Radio activity...

Looking for complete, up-to-date info on the EuroPirate scene? You have no great choice, really: Pirate Chat from England, and Pirate Connection from Sweden. Both publish six times per year and cost quite a bit to us in NAM, especially if we want the info via Air Mail so it gets here in time to do us some good. It is, however, worth getting a sample copy. For your sample of Pirate Connection, send a handful of IRCs or US\$4 to: Pirate Connection, Kamnarsvagen 13-D 220, S 22646 Lund, Sweden. And please tell 'em that you read about 'em right here, in The monthly ACE...

There is a good way to get mail to the Dutch pirates, too. Since most of them do not have direct addresses, try the Dutch Pirate Radio Svc. Be sure to send adequate postage, IRCs, or US\$ with your report(s) for forwarding, of course. You can contact DPRS at: 12 Dorman Road, Preston PR2 6AS, England...

And here is the section you've all been waiting for: The Gripe List! This month we feature a list from Bud Stacey, who casts about wildly in search of QSLs from: WEED (for numerous broadcasts), WJLR (for 11 April and 15 May 1993 broadcasts), The Fox (coast-to-coast), WKIK (for numerous broadcasts) and, of course, Alliance for Free Radio. If anyone feels guilty about stiffing Budman, QSLs can be sent to PO Box 907, Satsuma, AL 36572...

For the record, WEED and The Fox did verify a few reports but seem to have lost interest; WJLR said QSLs were in the works, but none have been forthcoming; WKIK said he was working on a design and was going to have some cards printed. That leaves only the Alliance as a total rip-off; Animal should slink off to the pound...

Speaking of Animal, we received a tape of two recent WKND programs from the "Houndman" series, broadcast in early July, along with a plaintive note begging us to "retract" our suggestion that you buy up all the kibbles & bits. Sorry; the VR crew can only be bribed with QSLs. Nice try, though...

We announced last month that Radio Doomsday is "dead and gone", but it seems they won't stay buried. Nemesis and RD keep appearing on the 41 meterband despite their premature death notice. Perhaps it is only to offend QSL hunters, since they have announced that they will no longer QSL? What's the point..?

By suggestion, we're starting a new feature in the Rumors section of VR. This little gem is based on a newspaper column Down South called "The Vent", subtitled "raw rhetoric". Our version will hereby be known as Free Radio Blast, and will consist of terse, concise comments or statements that are relevant to the Free Radio Scene, whether pro or con, and may be signed or unsigned. This is not intended for use by troublemakers; however, if you have a legitimate beef but don't want to write an editorial for Mouthterpiece Theater, this could be the place for you. To get the ball rolling, here are some examples:

I've decided that the sole purpose of a station going on the air at 4 a.m. is to test my ability to program my recorder, 'cause I damn sure ain't gonna be awake to hear it live...

The only reason to broadcast in single sideband is to make good music sound bad and marginal music sound terrible...

How is it that a supposed QSL from an inactive station can make the cover of the ACE and QSLs from real stations cannot? The fake KGUN verie on the cover of the July ACE is an insult to most Ops...

What is "shortwave liberation" actually accomplishing? And who are they liberating it from? Haven't heard one single over-powered religious nut leave the air yet, and the FCC hasn't announced the intent to quit. BFD...

The real reason Animal hasn't verified for the Alliance is that he's too busy scratching fleas and digging holes in the backyard...

Get the picture? If you have something to say, and can say it in two or three well-thought-out sentences, send it along and we'll use it in the Blast...

Mouthpiece Theater

(formerly: Soapbox)

ACE members speak out:

This month a reaction to the Spam Radio QSL from disgusted pirate enthusiast, Bud Stacey:

"Frankly, I'm appalled at Spam Radio's lack of taste in the QSL department. I can handle something funny or racey, like EBO's "Ellen B. revealed" or "Margo", WMAD's "Who's The Schmuck", or CSIC's "The Wrong Rubber...", but what Spam Radio has sent out is totally unacceptable! Most Free Radio stations have high standards; Spam Radio has hit the bottom of the barrel and has no standards.

"I enjoy collecting (and showing off) Free Radio QSLs and other memorabilia, but Spam Radio's QSL will stay in the envelope, away from the eyes of my friends."
s/Bud Stacey

As a lucky recipient myself, I can agree with your comments, Bud; the QSL sheet was "off color", to say the least. From what I've heard thru the grapevine, several listeners even RETURNED those sheets to the station! But remember this: King Spam cautioned on air that the QSLs would be gross. And at least he DID send out QSLs, unlike the Alliance for Free Radio and The Fox (so far). I guess you're willing to compromise a little, since you didn't return yours in protest. p.s.: King Spam has offered to exchange the "disgusting" QSL sheets for generic ones, if you so desire.
jta

What do YOU think? VR is a forum for Your opinion and comment. Kindly organize Your thoughts, be concise and expect comment directed at Yours. i may edit to fit space available but will try not to alter Your intended meaning.

"For every problem, there is a solution
which is simple, neat, and wrong."
--H. L. Mencken

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the QSL report for: August 1994

Janice Laws, in Quebec, took two valium when she received a full data card (#11) from Heavy Dude Radio (via NAPRS) - 7415 signed by Heavy Dude in seven weeks, a full data "greetings from out there somewhere" card (#155) from WREC - 7465 signed by PJ Sparr in six weeks, and a full data "baby at mike" card from Radio Lollipop (via NAPRS) - 7415 signed by Boy Lollipop in 14 weeks.

Chris Lobdell, in Massachusetts, fainted dead away upon receipt of a "crystal clear" card from KULP - 7385 for a WYDX relay signed by RF Friendly in three weeks, a full data "10th Anniversary cake" card from Radio USA - 7415 signed by Mr Blue Sky in ten weeks, two red full data sheets from WYDX - 3380/7385 signed by RF Friendly in six weeks, a full data "radio service" sheet (#2) from Quantum State Lab - 7385 in two weeks, a date/freq only "tombstone" card from WJFK - 7415 in 7.5 months, and a full data "white water" sheet from Radio Garbanzo - 7385 signed by Fearless Fred in two weeks.

Joe Filipkowski, in Rhode Island, bounced off the walls for a full data "tower on globe" card (#143) from RBCN - 15050U & 7465U signed by Radio Bob in 9 days, a full data "Blue Ridge Summit" sheet (#451) from WLIS - 7415 signed by Charles Poltz in 47 days for a PiPa log, three full data cards (#120, 131 & 132) from Radio Doomsday - 7445v/7385U signed by Nemesis in 55 to 60 days, a full data white card from International Voice of Global Free Radio - 3400U in 39 days, two full data sheets from WYDX - 3380/7385U in about one month, a date and freq only "I love spam" sheet (#1) from Spam Radio - 3400/7385 signed by King Spam in 40 days, a freq only "crystal clear" card rom KULP - 7385 for WYDX relay signed by RF Friendly in 23 days, a full data pink card (#48) from Down East Radio - 7415U

signed by Oskar Guggins in 16 days, a full data "radio service" sheet (#4) from Quantum State Lab - 7385U in 17 days, a full data card (#9) and tape from Radio Cyclops - 7425.5 signed by Mall N. Void and Mike Fright in about seven months, a full data sheet (#81) from Radio Free Euphoria - 7385.9U signed by Captain Ganja in a very short length of time, a date & freq only sheet from WJFK - 7415 in 223 days for a report in ACE or PiPa, a full data "Blue Ridge Summit Library" sheet (#458) from WLIS - 7417.5 signed by CP in two months, a full data photo card (#329) and sticker from Voice of LAringitis - 7385U signed by Stan Huxley in 72 days, a full data sheet from CRSN - 7385U signed by Matt Foron in three weeks, and a full data "license free" card (#13) and pennant from KTVI - 7385U signed by E.G. in 36 days.

Mike Leclerc, in Connecticut, cheerfully danced for joy at receiving a full data "SS Esoteric" card (#111) with letter and tape from Radio Esoterica - 7385 signed by Moriarty in 30 days, a full data yellow "map" card (#117) from NAPRS - 7385 signed by Richard T Pistek for a Radio Magic relay in 20 days, a full data green card and pennant from KNBS - 7465 in 50 days, and a full data yellow "Robin Ventura/White Sox" sheet (#452) from WLIS - 7415 signed by Charles Poltz for a log in PiPa.

Rob Ross, in Ontario, went catatonic upon receiving a full data card (#59) from Solid Rock Radio - 7415U signed by Dr Love in four weeks, a no/full data sheet (#1, natch) from WBDD maybe - 7413 signed by Mike Harris (possible DJ) in three months, and a full data photo card (#1012) from Radio USA - 7415.8 signed by Mr Blue Sky with FCC night vision glasses in eight months. [I need a pair of those! jta]

Ray Pfaff, in Virginia, stoically received a full data "proof positive that KK and Christopher King had a baby" sheet (#463) from WLIS, and a full data QSL from Radio Free Salvation in 6 weeks.

Radio Bob, in Georgia(?), signed up for a lobotomy after receiving a terrific goodie and a thank-you note for a QSL! Paul Grote sent a way cool, monkey-class, full size, display quality, black & white skull & crossedbones pirate flag, suitable for flying from antenna during broadcasts!!

Terrance Provance, in Ohio, hit his head on the ceiling when he got a full data card from IRRS -7125U signed by A.G. in 15 months.

George Zeller, also in Ohio, scraped the bottom of the barrel for a full data red "baby with mic" card from Radio Lollipop - 7415 (via NAPRS) signed by Boy Lollipop in 104 days, a full data "Wanda" card and sticker from KMCR - 15048 signed by Magic Mike in 58 days, a full data "mountain vista" card (#1) from Int'l Voice of Global Free Radio - 3400 in 40 days, a full data "radio service" sheet (#13) from Quantum State Lab - 14400U saying 1 watt in 18 days, a full data "ohm" sheet (#50) from Voice of the Runaway Maharishi - 7384.5 signed by the Maharishi with pot leaf patch in 11 days, a full data card from Solid Rock Radio for relay of Black Liberation Radio - 7385 signed by Dr Love in 6 days, a full data blue "eye" card from Radio Cyclops - 7445 signed by Mall N. Void and Mike Fright in 140 days, a full data sheet (#16) from Radio Free Salvation signed by Pastor Billy deYoung in 54 days, a full data "masked pirate at turntable" sheet from CRSN - 7385 signed by Matt Foron in 22 days, and a full data "license free" card (#28) from KTVI - 7385 signed by E.G. in 36 days.

Scott Gentry, in Illinois, looks a little strange wearing slightly used full data pink DX panties (#1) from KMOM - 7385U signed by Samantha Jones rcvd in a relatively short length of time, and a full data large blue "eye" card (#8) from Radio Cyclops - 7425 signed by Mall N. Void and Mike Fright in about seven months.

Bubba Stacey, in Alabama, tore out his radio room after getting a full data but disgusting "I love spam" sheet from Spam Radio - 3400/7385 signed by King Spam in five weeks or so, a full data yellow card (#119) with official frog seal from Radio Azteca - 7385 signed by Bram Stoker in three weeks, a full data "mountain vista" QSL from Int'l Voice of Global Free Radio - 3400U in nine days, a full data green card from Solid Rock Radio - 7465 signed by Dr Love in one month, and a full data card (#160) from RBCN - 15050U signed by Radio Bob in one month.

Franz Bergman, in Wisconsin, cheered up about the lack of snow with a full data full color card (#159) from RBCN - 7465 signed by Radio Bob in 15 days, and a full data photo card from He Man Radio in 67 days.

John Crutan, in Missouri, was locked in a rubber room after receiving a full data letter from Radio Esoterica in about 30 days, a full data "license free" card and several pennants from KTVI in an uncertain length of time, and a full data "radio service" sheet (#1) from Quantum State Lab.

Rich Sklar, in WaWaWashington, dropped dead upon receipt of a full data oversized purple card (#41) from KDED/Voice of the Grateful Dead - 7470L with personal letter.

Ye Olde Columniste wrangled a disgusting full data sheet from Spam Radio - 7384.9U signed by King Spam in 22 days, a full data red sheet and freq only "crystal clear" card from WYDX (via KULP) - 7385U signed by RF Friendly in 9 days, a full data pink card and postcard (#49) from Down East Radio - 7414.9U signed by O.G. in 14 days, a full data "radio service lab" sheet (#8) from Quantum State Lab - 14400U saying 1 watt in 17 days, a full data "Idaho baked potatoe" sheet (#78) from Radio Free Euphoria - 7384.9U signed by Captain Ganja in a few minutes, a full data unsigned card (#17) and pennant from KTVI - 7384.9U in 35 days, a full data multi-colored card (#3) from Up Against The Wall Radio - 7385U in 37 days, and a full data sheet (#3) from 6YVOS (Voice of Smoke) - 7385U signed by Pigpen Marley and Nesta in 48 days.

Until next, 73 and great DX...

A*C*E QSL Scoreboard

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KEY:

NAM= North American Pirate QSLs (including Canada)

For= Foreign Pirate QSLs (outside NAM)

dif= # different stations represented

Tot= total different Pirate QSLs (NAM dif + For dif)

| name-state | pirates | | | - cland - tot/dif | Best QSL |
|-------------------|----------|---------|-----|----------------------|-----------------|
| | NAM/dif | For/dif | Tot | | |
| T Providence-OH | 372/202 | 19/14 | 216 | 10/7 | VoAcid |
| G Teller-OH | 260/195 | 8/8 | 203 | 6/6 | WHBH burnt |
| J Arthur-NY | 304/166 | 17/12 | 178 | 1/1 | SWL Ltd |
| E Suter-VA | 231/156 | 17/16 | 172 | | Quality R |
| G Connor-PA | 166/132 | 13/11 | 143 | | VotAbnormal |
| P Murphy-VA | 148/131 | 13/9 | 140 | | CSIC chicken |
| R Ross-ONT | 150+/105 | 30+/25 | 130 | 45+/37 | S Dublin R 6240 |
| J Coatsworth-ONT | 143/110 | 24/19 | 129 | | RNI (euro) |
| A Yoder-PA | 130+/111 | 13+/13 | 124 | 1/1 | WCPR-1620 |
| P Roubenbourg-ONT | 155/93 | 26/21 | 114 | | Star Club R |
| J Filipkowski-RI | 206/111 | 2/2 | 113 | | RBCN/CSIC chkn |
| E Cronkright-WI | 107/107 | 6/6 | 113 | | R Titanic |
| N Wolfish-ONT | 146/104 | 9/7 | 111 | | R Condor Int'l |
| C Collins-WI | 145/106 | | 106 | | CSIC Chicken |
| C Lobdell-WA | 90/75 | 29/27 | 102 | | R Mi Amigo |
| R Pfaeff-VA | 88/82 | 21/21 | 103 | 7/7 | R Angeline |
| JD Stephens-AL | 108/86 | 8/7 | 93 | 3/3 | Radio G'day |
| Y Lewis-IL | 140/82 | 13/10 | 92 | | JRR - 6229 |
| E Rausch-NJ | 127/81 | 10/9 | 90 | | ACID/R Pirana |
| I Richolson-VA | 151/79 | 7/6 | 86 | | WIMP |
| A Sprewo-NY | 119/66 | 12/7 | 73 | 1/1 | KIWI (relay) |
| B Stacey-AL | 143/68 | 3/3 | 71 | | Zepplin RWW |
| R D'Angelo-PA | 55/52 | 14/15 | 67 | 19/19 | Volaryngitis |
| W Taylor-PA | 67/57 | 8/6 | 63 | | VotLumpfish |
| E Kusalik-ALTA | 78/49 | 13/13 | 62 | 70/48 | EMR-6235 |
| G Waber-MT | 105/57 | 5/4 | 61 | | |
| M Harwood-CA | 67/54 | | 54 | | JRI |
| S Rogovich-VA | 56/52 | 2/2 | 54 | | R Clandestine |

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|------|-------|-----------------|
| W Craighead-KS | | | | 67/52 | Giai Phong R |
| S Sachs-IL | 67/49 | 1/1 | 50 | | KROK |
| S Gentry-IL | 88/49 | | 49 | | KMOM DX panties |
| C Smolinski-MD | 47/43 | 6/6 | 49 | 2/2 | R Confusion |
| R Keeney-KS | 60/47 | 2/2 | 49 | 1/1 | VoVoyager 5850 |
| J Cruzan-MO | 57/48 | | 48 | | BWR |
| M Leclerc-CT | 62/41 | 1/1 | 42 | | RBCN |
| M Schaehl-PA | 68/36 | 5/3 | 39 | | Pirate R Boston |
| J Brewer-NM | 45/34 | | 34 | | |
| K Jernigan-TN | 33.5/33.5 | | 33.5 | | Vo Oz |
| F Bonnett-OH | 37/32 | | 32 | 3/3 | Falling Star |
| G Martin-MI | 40/37 | | 37 | | CCC Radio |
| R Biggs-TX | 35/30 | 1/1 | 31 | | VoVoyager |
| D Gasque-SC | 30/28 | 3/3 | 31 | | |
| V Havrilko-FRG | 25/21 | 11/9 | 30 | | |
| R Bob-?? | 32/27 | | 27 | | VoL & WBNY |
| J Foster-MI | 30/26 | | 26 | | WORK |
| A Steinberg-KY | 26/26 | | 26 | | R Repulso |
| J Brewer-NM | 27/23 | | 23 | | R Repulso |
| P Spurlock-TN | 23/23 | | 23 | | |
| D Frenz-WI | 24/20 | 4/3 | 23 | | JRI |
| S Foehner-NY | 45/22 | | 22 | | WORK |
| B Fuller, Jr-MA | 33/18 | 2/2 | 20 | | RFM |
| G Allinson-SC | 16/16 | 4/4 | 20 | | Morainia |
| M Twigg-MN | 23/18 | | 18 | | |
| J Hollowell-MD | 21/17 | 1/1 | 18 | | RBCN |
| E Reynolds-NJ | 25/16 | 1/1 | 17 | | Live Wire R |
| D Sizemore-SC | 18/17 | | 17 | | WKND |
| E Bloomfield-IL | 34/15 | | 15 | | WLIS/RBCN |
| A McCormick-WV | 17/15 | | 15 | | WJDI |
| J Laws-QUE | 16/15 | | 15 | | R Fusion relay |
| F Bergman-WI | 22/13 | | 13 | | R Doomsday |
| P Grote-MO | 17/13 | | 13 | | |
| B Wooten-GA | 16/13 | | 13 | | |
| G Lytle-TX | 12/10 | 2/1 | 11 | | KIWI |
| K Trummel-MO | 29/11 | | 11 | | |
| C Cuomo-PA | 11/10 | | 10 | | |
| L Royston-HI | 8/8 | | 8 | | Vo Bob |
| J Bryson-PA | 8/8 | | 8 | | |
| H Short-MA? | 8/8 | | 8 | | R Garbanzo |
| R Landau-NJ | 4/4 | 2/2 | 6 | 1/1 | VotNetherlands |
| D LeClair-CA | 7/5 | 1/1 | 6 | | RCCI |
| M Hodge-MD | 8/6 | | 6 | | RFM |
| SW Ape-CA | 5/5 | | 5 | | KMCR |
| J Overman-MO | 5/5 | | 5 | | |
| P Hartley-OH | 4/4 | | 4 | | R Beaver |
| J Vercellino-IL | 3/3 | | 3 | | Zepplin R WW |
| T Mazanec-OH | 3/3 | | 3 | | Radio USA |
| D Ditlow-CA | 3/3 | | 3 | | R Airplane |
| M McCrackin-CA | 2/2 | | 2 | | Zodiac R |

Please decide which ONE of your QSLs is considered your "best"; yes, that is subjective, but it's all we have room for. If you do not tell me by the next running of The Scoreboard, I will choose for you. Tnx.

Send your QSL totals to: Scoreboard, RD#1 Box 15A, Belfast, NY 14711 or leave them in the [V]eried Response section of the ANARC BBS. The Scoreboard appears in the February, May, August and November editions of VR. Please update your totals in January, April, July and October for inclusion. Thanks for your continued support.

CLANDESTINE PROFILE

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LA VOZ DEL CID GOES QRT, THEN REACTIVATES

Despite the printing problems that we had in the July issue of *The ACE*, we managed to get in the last minute information on recent unusual happenings at La Voz del CID. This veteran anti-Castro clandestine, which had been on the air over a decade, suddenly disappeared from the shortwave bands in mid-May. This was big Western Hemisphere clandestine news. Few stations have been on the air as long as CID. In fact, the very first "Clandestine Profile" column back in 1985 consisted of speculations from Glenn Hauser and George Zeller about the transmitter QTH of CID. The station was not a newcomer to the airwaves, even back in the mid-1980's. So, its disappearance was big news.

We only managed to get a brief description of events into the July issue of *The ACE*, so it would be appropriate to start with a review. CID had previously been subject to rumors of a financial shortage that was associated with a fundraising drive in the anti-Castro community of southern Florida. The station left the air in mid-May, but almost nobody in the DX community seems to have noticed the disappearance right away.

This changed on the June 2 edition of "Media Network" on Radio Netherlands. Host Jonathan Marks interviewed Jeff White of WRMI, a well-known longtime figure in the anti-Castro clandestine relay field. White said that CID had been contracting their schedule for several months. In mid-May they stopped broadcasting altogether. I now quote from the BBCMS transcription of the Marks-White interview (via *Monitoring Times*), with remarks by White:

"Nobody will admit it of course, but there are a lot of rumors here in Miami that La Voz del CID has long been funded by the US Central Intelligence Agency and that their funds were cut off several months ago and they've been appealing for money publicly here in Miami among the Cuban-American community to keep the station on the air."

White also pointed out that over the years, CID has not only been a clandestine operation from their own transmitters. They have purchased relay time on an irregular basis over the years on stations such as Ecos del Torbes in Venezuela and Radio Clarin in the Dominican Republic. (The Clarin airtime purchase arrangement was nixed after a diplomatic protest to the Dominican Republic from the government of Cuba). White said that CID has never said exactly where their own clandestine transmitter is located, although *Passport to World Band Radio* lists the station as a clandestine based in Guatemala. It looked like CID had come to a sudden and ignominious end, presumably because of a funding cutoff at the CIA.

All of this took a sudden about-face in mid-July, when La Voz del CID returned to its accustomed spot at the top end of the 31 meter band on a frequency that I measured as 9941.65 kHz. I heard them at 1610 UTC on July 17 with their usual mix of professionally produced anti-Castro talk and drama programs, diced with some Cuban pop music at times. The station was on just about all day on July 17. I heard them still blasting away with a good signal well after 2300 UTC. I didn't hear the usual tones interval signal, but they had plenty of ID's.

It will be interesting to see how extensive an operation will be forthcoming from the reactivated CID. Suddenly we are very interested in CID logs once again. Is anybody else hearing them? How about their alternate frequencies such as 6305, 7340, 11940, etc.? I've only been hearing them on 9941.7v so far. Your loggings will be very welcome.

"CHAOS, UNCERTAINTY, AND MAS CANOSA"

Jorge Mas Canosa of the Cuban American National Foundation is back in the news. The CANF still operates La Voz de la Fundacion, a major anti-Castro clandestine. Fundacion has been one of the major customers of Jeff White's airtime on the new 9955 kHz WRMI from Miami.

The headline of this section is stolen from a column by Howard Kleinberg of Cox newspapers that ran in the July 20 edition of the Cleveland *Plain Dealer*. I am sure that this syndicated piece was also carried by many other newspapers. Kleinberg points out that Mas still expects to take over the government of Cuba after the departure of Fidel Castro. But, Kleinberg states that although Mas has substantial support among the Cuban-American community of southern Florida, he apparently has little support within Cuba. It is an often overlooked fact that there are less than a million Cuban born persons living in the USA. The total population of Cuba is about 10 million. So, Kleinberg suggests that Mas is by no means guaranteed of being Castro's successor.

The Kleinberg column also mentioned some interesting anecdotes about Mas' "dark side." He has ruthlessly attacked many of his political opponents in Miami. Mas frequently argues with the Miami *Herald* newspaper, which has a tendency to cover Mas' controversial activities. Kleinberg concludes that some see Mas as a savior, while others see him as a demagogue.

RADIO DEMOCRACY AIRBORNE CLANDESTINE IN HAITI

We have news of your tax dollars at work, funding a new clandestine station in Haiti. Thanks go to Rob Keeney in Kansas, who called in about the new Radio Democracy operation, and to J. D. Stephens of Alabama, who put the contents of a USA State Department Press Release on the ACE BBS.

According to the State Department, Radio Democracy is broadcasting to the people of Haiti from a transmitter located in a flying aircraft. The station's official opening day was July 15. Its message, as you might imagine, is that the people of Haiti should not get on boats bound for Miami, even though the government of Haiti does not meet with the approval of the USA or the United Nations.

The State Department Press Release mentions a schedule in Haitian local time, which currently coincides with Eastern Daylight time. Translating this into UTC, the schedule is 2230-2330 and 0000-0100 UTC. Frequencies are 1035 medium wave in parallel with 91.9 MHz FM. I have been checking 1035 around local sunset, but so far I don't even hear a heterodyne here.

Many DX-ers quickly noticed that 1035 is the old medium wave frequency for 4VEH, the well known religious station that also used to operate on medium wave. ACE members who quickly remarked about this on the ACE BBS included Harry Helms of California and John T. Arthur of New York. Harry mentioned on the BBS that he wondered how the people of Haiti were supposed to know that they should tune to 1035 kHz to hear the broadcasts, since most Haitians are not regular listeners to World of Radio. I assume that word of mouth would carry pretty well on something like this. Furthermore, 1035 was probably a good frequency choice, given its split channel to avoid QRM and its former usage by 4VEH, which must have had some listening audience in Haiti.

Has anybody been hearing these broadcasts? Some of our southeastern USA members might have a decent shot at this one. Unfortunately, no shortwave service is scheduled.

HOWARD STERN PIRATE JAMMING UPDATE

Last month we mentioned the pirate jamming incident that took place during a remote broadcast of the Howard Stern show from Cleveland's "Flats" entertainment district. We have an update, courtesy of the June 30 edition of the Cleveland *Plain Dealer* and a direct local source who has asked to remain anonymous. According to the *PD*, the FCC is "investigating the incident" where a pirate successfully jammed Stern's studio-to-transmitter link, momentarily knocking his syndicated program off the air until he could return via a cellular telephone. However, the FCC has not issued a Notice of Apparent Liability in the case.

In a related matter, the Cuyahoga County grand jury returned an indictment against William J. Alford of Cleveland. The 30 year old Alford, an assistant engineer at Cleveland FM rocker WMMS, allegedly cut a cable being used by Stern for the broadcast. (Stern's show is carried by WNCX in Cleveland, a key rival of WMMS in the morning drive time ratings race). The grand jury indictment charged Alford with disrupting a public service, possession of criminal tools, and breaking and entering. Alford pleaded not guilty during a June 13 appearance in Cleveland Municipal Court.

WMMS General Manager Dean Thacker said that Alford has been suspended from the station without pay. WMMS has denied involvement in the incident, although they did admit renting a helicopter to fly over the location of Stern's outdoor live show to make noise. Alford was freed on \$10,000 bail.

PIRATE BAND CLANDESTINE

Occasionally some clandestine news appears in the BBC Monitoring Service publication that I cannot fit into *Monitoring Times* because of space limitations. We have one of these situations this month, caused mainly by the recent explosion of pirate activity. In June and July at least one North American pirate station was on the air for more than 30 consecutive days, even including weeknights. This unprecedented phenomenon ate up most of my MT column. I will make amends here with the BBCMS info.

According to BBCMS, the Voice of Independent Kurdistan has been maintaining regular activity on 7400v kHz in the middle of the pirate band. This left wing pro-PKK station jumps around this frequency in an attempt to avoid jamming. This causes no interference to North American pirates, however, since the station is scheduled at 0900 and 1300 UTC. Especially in the summer, the odds of this station propagating to North America at these times on 41 meters is essentially zero.

RADIO PATRIA LIBRE

Last month we mentioned the fact that Radio Patria Libre is still active, despite the fact that the Colombian government claimed to have destroyed the station's transmitter within Colombia. In July, BBCMS confirmed this. The station's current schedule is supposed to be 1130-1210 UTC daily on 6260 kHz, Sundays at 1500 UTC on 6260 kHz, and Saturdays at 1330 on 15050 kHz. The BBCMS schedule does not mention a 2130 UTC broadcast on 15050 kHz, but multiple ACE members have been hearing this, at least on Saturdays.

NEW CLANDESTINE IN SUDAN

We have a rather unusual situation with a new Sudanese clandestine this month, courtesy of information via BBCMS. The Radio of the Opposition National Democratic Alliance is a new clandestine voice of the Sudanese opposition. Faruq Abu Isa, the Secretary-General of the Arab Lawyers' Federation and "a prominent member of the Sudanese opposition," announced the formation of the new station in a June 18th Cairo news conference. Unnamed middle eastern newspapers printed rumors that the station would transmit from Egypt, but this rumor was denied on June 10 by the Egyptian MENA news agency. So far the station has apparently not appeared on shortwave. BBCMS says that programming so far has only been on an unnamed satellite, originating in a Western Hemisphere country at a cost of "500 dollars an hour." It is unclear if this "overseas" country is the USA. Groups sponsoring the station in the Democratic Alliance reportedly include the DUP led by Muhammad Uthman al-Mirghani, the Unmah Party, the Sudan People's Liberation Movement (SPLM) of Colonel John Garang, the southern parties, the Sudanese Communist Party, the Sudanese National Party, 51 trade unions, and "the Sudanese Army's legitimate command." It is unclear if this station will eventually operate a shortwave relay for this satellite feed.

AFGHANISTAN CLANDESTINE

We have one final item this month that is courtesy of BBCMS. Radio Message of Freedom, a clandestine supporting the Islamic Party of Afghanistan, is currently operating on 7000 kHz at 0145-0315 and 0730-0830 UTC. The leader of the station's party is Golboddin Hekmatyar. This clandestine uses Pashto and Dari languages,

with a literal ID of Hezb-e Eslami. BBCMS points out that their nominal frequency is 7090 kHz, but that they actually operate on 7000 kHz. The station is jammed. We might be able to hear this one, especially on the early broadcast.

O. J. AND THE ECPA

I can't let the O. J. Simpson incident pass without some editorial comment. The pirate scene was immediately impacted by the appearance of Radio Free O. J., whose unusual announced QSL policy was that no veries would materialize unless O. J. was executed in the California electric chair. I was puzzled by this, since it is my understanding that California executes convicted capital criminals in a gas chamber. So, at least on a technicality, I'm not going to look in my mailbox every day for a Radio Free O. J. QSL.

There was some discussion on the ACE BBS about the capture of O. J. that I think is worth mentioning here in the bulletin. Several press accounts noted that when the Los Angeles police were initially searching for the missing O. J., they traced his whereabouts by noting the particular cell repeaters that O. J.'s car cellular telephone was hitting. This quickly allowed law enforcement officials and the media to televise the now famous O. J. 500 on the L. A. freeways.

As we know, the Electronic Communications Privacy Act prohibits listening to cellular telephone calls. The latest editions of both the Universal Shortwave and Grove Enterprises catalogs note that the ICOM 9000 is no longer for sale to the public, since it is illegal to sell receivers in the USA that can pick up the 850-870 MHz band. This legislation was absolutely outrageous, and the entire Federal Government should be ashamed of itself. But, when the bill was passed, some of its supporters argued that it was necessary to legislate privacy on the cellular telephone band. For instance, police evidence from recorded cellular telephone calls would undoubtedly be completely inadmissible in court.

However, the Los Angeles Police Department has freely admitted that they were listening to O. J. Simpson's cellular telephone calls as a part of their criminal investigation of his ex-wife's homicide. Thus, the LAPD admits violating the ECPA. I have been waiting for the Notice of Apparent Liability from the FCC to the LAPD. I assume that they would be fined at least \$17,500. They probably should lose their licenses to operate police radios as well. This is the sort of treatment that the FCC has been dishing out to unlicensed broadcasters lately, so I see no reason why the LAPD should be treated differently.

ZELLER vs. US POSTAL SERVICE: EPISODE 37

Last month I lamented my latest unsatisfactory experience with the USPS, given the fact that it took the Post Office three months to "return to sender" some DiaLogs loggings that I sent to Steve Rogovich in Virginia Beach. I pointed out that Bill Clinton owes me 29¢ from this foulup. I must say that the Prez has not yet paid up.

He'd better act pretty soon, since he now owes me 58¢. I sent a reception report on June 27 to Radio Free Jesus. The envelope was accurately addressed c/o Post Office Box 605, Huntsville, Alabama 35804. In mid-July the USPS returned my letter to me, marked "return to sender, attempted not known." As John T. Arthur correctly pointed out in the July "Veried Response" column, Radio Free Jesus is known to be a valid user of the Huntsville drop. I extracted another 29¢ stamp and another envelope from my briefcase, and I sent the report on a second trip to Huntsville.

I offer Bill Clinton another double or nothing this month on the 58¢ that he owes me. At this rate, by the time the February issue of *The ACE* is published, Hillary is going to have to buy one helluva lot of Arkansas cattle futures to pay of Bill's debt to me.

THANKS!

This month we thank the following DX-ers for their direct contributions to this column: Rob Keeney (Kansas), J. D. Stephens (Alabama), an anonymous local Cleveland source, and George Zeller (Ohio). Next month we all hope to year from YOU by August 20 for the September Clandestine Profile.

MICRO-CASTING

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Contributions towards the goal of increasing & spreading knowledge about Part 15 microbroadcasting are greatly appreciated; this is YOUR column! Please send all loggings, QSLs, station information, broadcast schedules, tapes and what-have-you to the address above. Info for this column should be sent to arrive by the 15th of each month.

RAMSEY AM-1 TRANSMITTER UPDATE/UPGRADE

Since last mentioned in a previous column, Ramsey has raised prices on their AM-1 kit and enclosure; the transmitter is now \$29.95 and the enclosure is \$14.95...drat! Fortunately, a fellow member of the WOLF Radio Network donated a working unit for experimentation and eventual use in the Southern affiliate!

The main problem with these units is like it's brother, the FM-10: FREQUENCY INSTABILITY! Hopefully the upgrades shown here will help tighten things up, plus add better response in other areas.

First things first: replace C6, C7, C8, C9, C10 & C16 (if used) with silver mica caps. This should "firm up" things in the oscillator for stability. In the audio section, replace C3, C11 & C12 for polystyrene caps and C1 & C2 (and C4 if used) with tantalum caps. And in the RF section, replace C5, C13 & C14 with silver mica caps. IF C15 is a 220uf 10 or 16vdc electrolytic, replace it for a 1000uf 25 or 35vdc cap for better filtering. ALL OTHER PARTS, STAY WITH THE SAME VALUES. If you want to go to the "nth" degree, replace all 5% resistors with 1% types, staying with the same values....this could especially be helpful in the oscillator section.

The donor of this unit had already done a couple of helpful upgrades to the unit before sending it to me: for \pm voltage regulation, he added a simple diode at the 12vdc input, between the switch and the input. This appears to be a 1N4001 diode, anode to input connector, cathode to switch; be sure to cut the trace! Also, to avoid loading down most mixers (re: Radio Shack), a 1k 1/4watt resistor is used to keep impedance high. He used one per right & left channel, then attached both to the mono audio input of the transmitter.

Also, for frequency agility, the caps regulating the frequency of choice were not soldered in; rather, sockets were soldered in and the caps are plugged in. This allows the operator to change frequencies at will, if travelling from one location to another (or for any other reason, for that matter!). For added stability, all coils are solidly attached to the board with clear bathroom caulk on top of the board; this is to guard against any vibrations.

FOR EXPORT ONLY or for missionaries overseas putting up radio stations in remote villages: there is a possibility of power upgrades to this unit. The transmitter uses all 2N3904 transistors; the two in the RF section could possibly be paralleled for an increase in power. THIS IS NOT FOR USE IN THE U.S.A.!!!

One last note: With the cover off, measure (with the unit facing you) 1" from the front and 2" from the right side; mark the case's top cover at this point. This should be directly over L2, the tuning coil. Drill a 5/8" hole in the case and fit it on top of the lower case, checking to see that this hole is indeed over L2. This allows easy tuning of frequencies. By the way, the various capacitor combos will give up to 150-170 kHz of frequency spread.

Cure for buzz or hum in FM-10: relocate negative DC lead to cathode end of D3. The buzz disappears! Please let me know of your experiments!

THE BACK FENCE LAWYER

Disclaimer: The information provided in the commentary in no manner indicates a promise of representation. State law varies from state to state. A licensed attorney in your state should be consulted before relying on ANY legal advice or information.

WHAT TO DO WHEN THE FCC KNOCKS ON YOUR DOOR

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Frightened by this growing movement, the FCC comes knocking at doors, slapping fines ranging anywhere from \$750 to \$20,000. This booklet is to help you deal with the FCC's tactics to stifle our right to communicate with each other.

WHEN THE FCC KNOCKS ON YOUR DOOR NOTE: The following discussion assumes that you are not a licensed broadcaster.

Q) If FCC agents knock on my door and say they want to talk with me, do I have to answer their questions?

A: No. You have a right to say that you want a lawyer present when and if you speak with them, and that if they will give you their names, you will be back in touch with them. Unless you have been licensed to broadcast, the FCC has no right to "inspect" your home.

>>>Commentary: You only have a right to have an attorney present after you have been arrested. You may request an attorney at any time prior to an actual arrest but there is no right that they must honor. If you request to see an attorney and they refuse, you stand a good chance of having anything you do say quashed as evidence in a court of law. What you do say may however be used against you in administrative investigations.

A request for an attorney also has the result of putting the FCC (or any govt. agency) on notice that its going to be a hardball game. They will of course react accordingly and things will get escalate quickly after your request is made.

Q) If they say they have a right to enter my house without a warrant to see if I have broadcasting equipment, do I have to let them in?

A: No. Under Section 303(n) of Title 47 U.S.C., the FCC has a right to inspect any transmitting devices that must be licensed under the Act. Nonetheless, they must have permission to enter your home, or some other basis for entering beyond their mere supervisory powers. With proper notice, they do have a right to inspect your communications devices. If they have given you notice of a pending investigation, contact a lawyer immediately.

>>>Commentary: FCC agents do not have a right to enter your home unless you are a licensed broadcaster. If a federal Marshall or local police officer is with them, they still require a warrant. Note however that if the police officer has "a reasonably articulated" suspicion that there is contraband on the premises and that it may be easily removed or destroyed, they may enter to secure evidence against destruction.

Q) If they have evidence that I am "illegally" broadcasting from my home, can they enter anyway, even without a warrant or without my permission?

A: They will have to go to court to obtain a warrant to enter your home. But, if they have probable cause to believe you are currently engaging in illegal activities of any sort, they, with the assistance of the local police, can enter your home without a warrant to prevent those activities from continuing. Basically, they need either a warrant, or probable cause to believe a crime is going on at the time they are entering your home.

>>>Commentary: Correct as far as it goes. See above regarding destruction of evidence.

Q) If I do not cooperate with their investigation, and they threaten to arrest me, or have me arrested, should I cooperate with them?

A: If they have a legal basis for arresting you, it is very likely that they will prosecute you regardless of what you say. Therefore, what you say will only assist them in making a stronger case against you. Do not speak to them without a lawyer there.

>>>Commentary: The absolute best advice ever offered. ANYTIME you are placed in custody the only words that should leave your lips are "I want an attorney"

Q) If they have an arrest or a search warrant, should I let them in my house?

A: Yes. Give them your name and address, and tell them that you want to have your lawyer contacted immediately before you answer any more questions. If you are arrested, you have a right to make several telephone calls within 3 hours of booking.

>>>Commentary: NEVER resist a warrant search. You will only accrue additional charges against you. The 3 hour limit varies and is not an absolute. If at all possible, make sure someone else who has not been arrested secures an attorney for you as soon as possible.

Q) Other than an FCC fine for engaging in illegal transmissions, what other risks do I take in engaging in micro-radio broadcasts.

A: Section 501 of the Act provides that violations of the Act can result in the imposition of a \$10,000 fine or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year, or both. A second conviction results in a potentially longer sentence. If you are prosecuted under this section of the Act, and you are indigent (unable to hire an attorney), the court will have to appoint one for you.

>>>Commentary: But it may take as long as 48 hours to secure an appointed attorney. Chances are he/she/it will never have heard of an FCC violation before your case.

Q) Are there any other penalties that can be imposed upon me for "illegal broadcasts."

A: Under Section 510 of the Act, the FCC can attempt to have your communicating equipment seized and forfeited for violation of the requirements set forth in the Act. Once again, if they attempt to do this, you will be given notice of action against you, and have an opportunity to appear in court to fight the FCC's proposed action. Realize, though, that they will try to keep your equipment and any other property they can justify retaining until the proceedings are completed. You have a right to seek return of your property from the court at any time.

Q) If the FCC agents ask me if I knew I was engaged in illegal activities, should I deny any knowledge of FCC laws or any illegal activities?

A: No. You will have plenty of time to answer their accusations after you have spoken with an attorney. It is a separate crime to lie to law enforcement officials about material facts. Remain silent.

Q) If I am considering broadcasting over micro-radio, is there anything I can do ahead of time to minimize the likelihood of prosecution?

A: Yes. Speak with an attorney before you are approached by law enforcement to discuss the different aspects of FCC law. Arrange ahead of time for someone to represent you when and if the situation arises, so that you will already have prepared a strategy of defense.

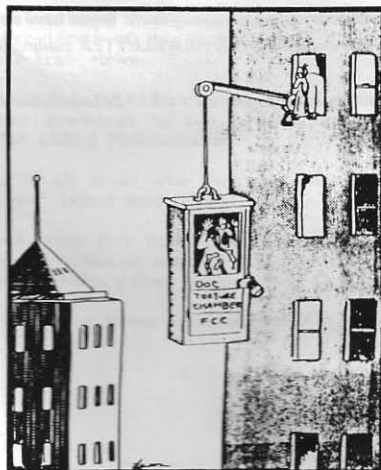
Q) What can I do if the FCC agents try to harass me by going to my landlord, or some other source to apply pressure on me?

A: So long as there is no proof that you have violated the law, you cannot be prosecuted or evicted. If there is evidence of misconduct, you might have to defend yourself in court. Depending upon what the FCC said or did, you might be able to raise a defense involving selective prosecution or other equivalent argument. If the conduct of the agents is clearly harassment, rather than a proper investigation, you can file a complaint with the F.C.C. or possibly a civil action against them.

Q) If I want to legally pursue FCC licensing for a new FM station, what should I do?

A: It isn't the purpose of this Q and A sheet to advocate or discourage non-licensed broadcast operations. A person cited by the FCC for illegal broadcasting will find it virtually impossible to later obtain permission to get a license. If you want to pursue the licensing procedure, see the procedures set forth in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 47, Part 73. The application form (Form # 301 A) is extremely complicated, and requires a filing fee of \$2,030.00. If you want to contact the FCC directly, call them at their Consumer Assistance and Small Business Division, Room 254, 1919 N St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20554, tel (202) 632-7260. Don't bother to try this without significant financial backing.

The preceding was downloaded from the FREE RADIO section of the ANARC/ACE BBS a couple of months ago. It is reprinted here because I found it to be interesting reading and of interest to the general membership. I hope you enjoyed it.



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RADIOCOM'94

The folks at the Southern California Area DXers {SCADS} invite your radio club to participate in the programming of RADIOCOM'94. We wish to make this a successful convention and by your club taking part, we can reach that goal. Your programming ideas/suggestions are welcomed by SCADS.

The convention dates are August 31 - Sept 3, 1994 at the Holiday Inn in Irvine, CA. That is the same location for the 1988 ANARC convention. This is within walking distance to So California's most famous shopping center, The South Coast Plaza plus the Bristol Plaza. It is within 5 minutes of the John Wayne Airport [JWC] and about 7 minutes from the local beaches. Hotel coaches go hourly to the above locations. August is EXCELLENT beach weather in Southern California!!

In order to make this convention a successful one, we need to hear from you. We can not do it by our selves, we need your hobby support for a successful event. We need clubs to sponsor programming in their areas of interest such as Broadcastband Listening, Clandestine/Pirate Radio Listening, Utilities DXing, Scanner Listening, FM & TV DXing, Amateur Radio and ALL other aspects of our radio hobby. If your club covers any of the above categories and would like to put on a program covering same, please contact us as soon as possible. We would like to start putting together the convention programming as soon as possible. A program can last from 30 minutes to over an hour. We will have facilities for the usage of 16mm film & VHS video cassettes. Outside of the regular programming schedule, a club or group may hold a special event and it will be posted on the Convention Bulletin Board. The convention will have Technical Exhibits along with Video Theatre Exhibits. Wine & Cheese receptions will be sponsored affairs by the broadcasters and manufacturers. A new item to be at the convention is a SWAPMEET where hobbyists can trade/swap or sell hobby related items. IF your club would like to take part in the convention, then we would like to hear from you soon as possible.

SCADS meets on a monthly basis at the Community Room of the FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK, 12535 Seal Beach Blvd., Seal Beach, CA 90740. Meeting times are from 1330 - 1600 hours on the Third Saturday of each month. If you have members in So California or if you can have a delegate attend these meetings, they will be welcomed to attend at any time. If you have no one in the area, then by your request, we can place your club on the SCADS NEWSLETTER mailing list.

For additional information, please write or give me a call. My home phone message machine is on 24 hrs per day..... [714] 846-1685

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The following articles were submitted for publication by ACE member Arthur Pym some time ago. This has been the first "space available". Thanks, Arthur, and sorry for the delay in publishing these.

BOSTON, March 11 (UPI) -- In the first case of its kind in U.S. maritime history, a New Bedford, Mass., fisherman was sentenced to six months in prison Friday for broadcasting a phony distress call that his boat was sinking in the North Atlantic.

A federal judge in Boston also ordered Edward Chipelo, 21, to pay more than \$2,500 to the Coast Guard for the cost of the responding to the hoax.

Since 1990, the Coast Guard said it has answered more than 900 fake distress calls in the Northeast alone, at a cost of more than \$1 million.

Chipelo, a deck-hand on the Cheri Andrea, based on the resort island of Nantucket, issued a "mayday" call on Feb. 14, 1991, saying his crew had abandoned ship and that the engine room was full of water.

A Coast Guard rescue team later found the boat safely docked in port with Chipelo in the pilot house with two hand-held marine radios tuned to the Coast Guard frequency.

Chipelo was prosecuted under a 1990 federal law, known as the Studts Act, which makes it a felony to broadcast a phony distress call.

The act was passed after a real "mayday" message was ignored by the Coast Guard because it was quickly followed by a second, phony call claiming to be from the same boat, and dispatchers mistakenly believed both calls were fake. A father and son died in the accident.

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JERUSALEM, April 5 (UPI) -- A leading member of the Israeli Cabinet demanded Tuesday that a pirate radio station run by West Bank settlers be shut down for praising Jews who have killed Arabs.

Environment Minister Yossi Sarid said the government should close the Channel 7 radio station under terms of its decision to outlaw the Kach and Kahane Chai groups for their anti-Arab views.

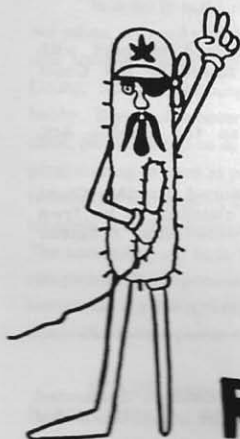
Sarid referred to a Feb. 24 interview by Channel 7 broadcaster Ben Israel, who offered Purim holiday greetings to two Israelis, Ami Popper and Yoram Skolnick, who are in prison for killing Palestinians.

"Happy holiday... to all those who did what we dreamt about doing, but never had the courage to do," Israel said.

The interview was aired five hours before settler Baruch Goldstein opened fire in a Hebron mosque and killed at least 29 Palestinians.

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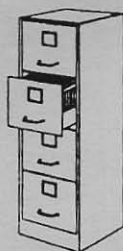
Kirk Baxter

It's been quite a while since I've chatted with the ACE membership, but there have been a couple of items I'd like to clarify for everyone. The ACE Headquarter's post office box has been receiving quite a few letters for DiaLogs and other columns. Sending contributions for particular columns to the Shawnee Mission box will just delay material getting to the proper editor. Please send your contributions for each column directly to the appropriate editor. Their addresses are usually at the top of their column.

As Rob has probably explained elsewhere in this issue, the July ACE was delayed by not one, but two printing errors. The ACE was finally in the mail on July 14th, quite a bit behind our usual mailing date. I appreciate the patience that everyone has had with getting their issue. I received no nasty letters about the late issue, although a few folks thought their issue had been lost in the mail. I've sent out cards to some of these letters indicating the late mailing of the July issue, and to please be patient. If you have not received the July ACE by the time you are reading this issue, I would definitely say that by now it has gotten lost. We do have a few extra copies, and as always, replacements will be sent out on an availability basis.

The ACE BBS at 913-345-1978 always indicates when the latest ACE was mailed, and if there are delays in mailing. If you've got access to a computer and modem, give the system a call. The BBS also provides a means of uploading loggings, column material and messages directly to our editors.

Best of listening for the rest of the summer. 73s, Kirk Baxter



Special Features

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I'm really concerned over Bob Grove's "Closing Comments" in the July *Monitoring Times*. The heading was OBJECTIVE REVIEW OR SELF PROMOTION. I looked up "objective" in the dictionary, and the meaning is "to rip apart with a knife that later vanishes, catch the red-eye to Chicago, have a friend take you for a televised ride in a Ford Bronco, and finally offer a \$500K reward to anyone who can get you off the hook somehow." Whew!!! I'm not so sure I want to read an objective review! Please, Bob, stick to self promotion!

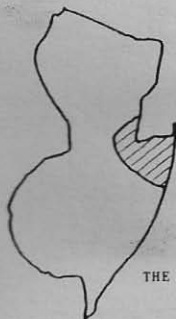
I do wish Chelsea would quit hiding her dad's Ouija board; how does she expect him to make important foreign policy decisions without it? Anyway, should an invasion of Haiti start looking imminent, keep an ear on 6929.5, 11455.7, and 15790 kHz for unusual activity from KKN50, the U.S. Department of State's CW station. This is the station that runs those monotonous "QRA" CW markers every night on 6929.5, but during the last two major U.S. military actions—the Gulf War and the Somalia fiasco—KKN50 interrupted its QRA marker in the hours before each began and during the early hours of both to conduct actual two-way communications with stations. Try listening on the hour or half-hour; if KKN50 goes into two-way mode, it's a good clue that something big is about to go down.

Some of you may have missed an interesting item in the "CB Scene" column in the August issue of *Popular Communications*. It turns out a CBER in a remote Kentucky town had been cited for use of a linear amplifier by a traveling FCC inspection team. The CBER paid the fine, but asked why the FCC had shown up in the middle of nowhere to inspect his station. The reply came from Richard Smith, chief of the FCC's field operations bureau. Smith said, "Your town was selected for the inspector's visit as part of a zip code survey. The Commission's staff is too small to visit all towns and cities on a regular basis. Certain zip codes are selected and the towns in those zip codes are visited. Your station was selected for inspection because it was located in a targeted zip code area and the antennas of your station were readily visible. Since your town is distant from our inspector's home office, his time was quite limited. He was able to visit only a few of the stations in your town."

Those of you who have been with ACE a while know what a piece of work Mr. Smith is. What a concept... *justice by zip code*... and some of you probably thought I was goofing last month about the bureaucracy being the fourth branch of government. It's enough to drive a man objective!

Harry

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